RETRO

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The Retro

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Watch out for the

● LOW-GRADE GREGORY

Now please don't take it all so hard;
It was just fun for me.
Yes, I'm the one who changed your card—
I made your B a D

● TARDY TIM

I sat upon the office clock;
I made it 'way past eight.
I waited with great joy to mock
Because you were so late.

● SLEEPY SAM

I laughed to watch you nod your head,
Now lost to early ties.
Then quickly from your seat I fled—
I knew that you'd not rise.

Gremlins!

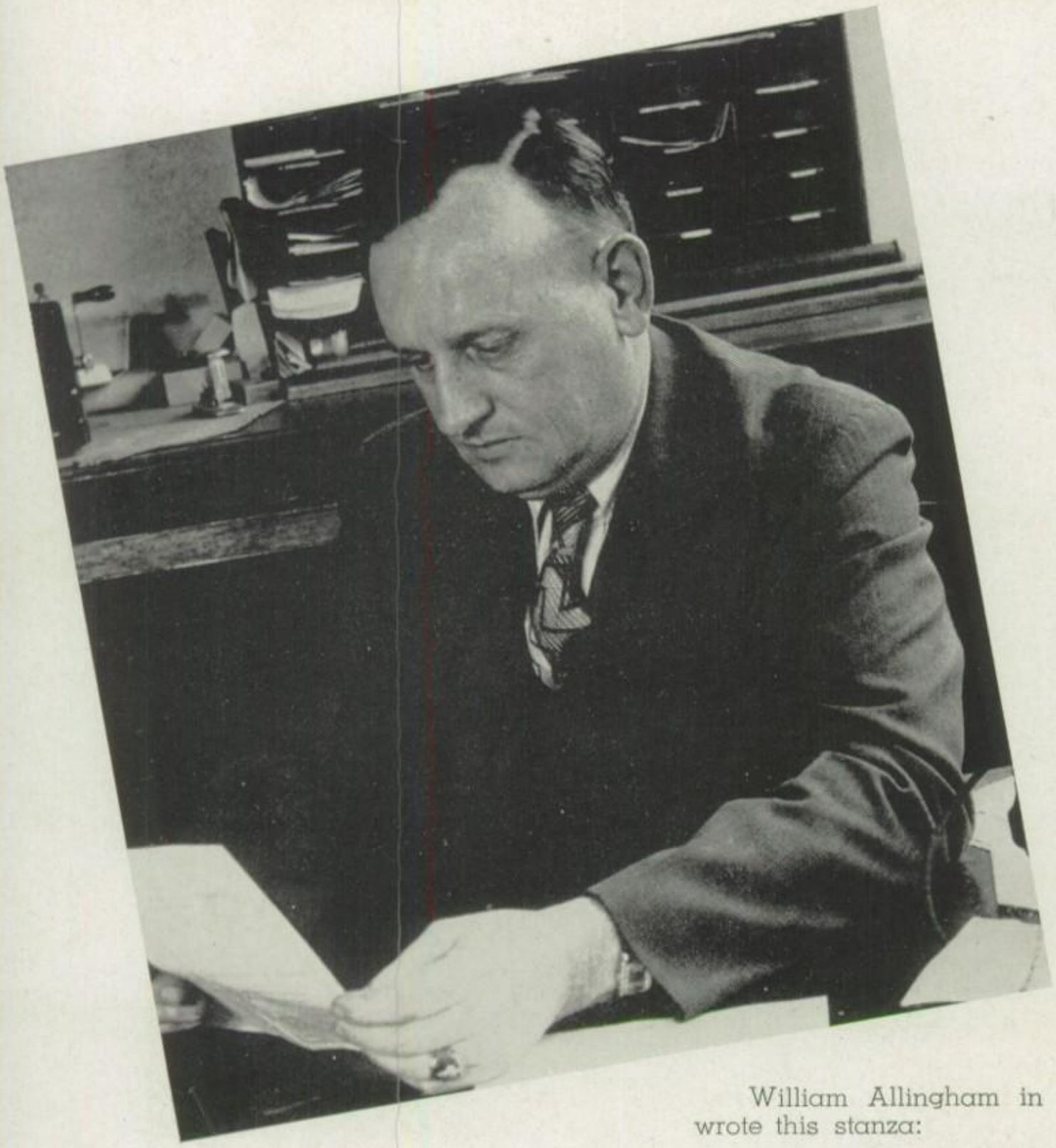
It took a war to introduce us to the character that we had been looking for during all our school life. The war finally furnished somebody to take the blame for all our errors and misdemeanors; ah, yes—the gremlin in its various forms.

You've heard about the gremlin on the production front. You know how he screws the nuts in the wrong place. And the gremlin is responsible for just as much trouble on the warfront. He drills a hole in the gas tank just when one of our boys goes into a power dive. Well, we have his brothers who cause plenty of troubles in our illustrious educational institution.

Do you know why Jim was sleeping during that profound lecture? Do you know why Evelyn pulled her gum out of her pretty mouth in English class and caused the wrath of our ever-understanding instructor to descend upon her? It's unnecessary to cite more examples; you know how to feel for us now. It was all the gremlin's fault.

But with the kind assistance of our faculty we're beating those gremlins. In every department of our school we have them on the run. Yes, gremlins with their impish tricks can't remain long when the alert students of Hartford High decide to rid our school of all traces of these elfish fiends.

They'll get you!



William Allingham in his poem **The Fairies** wrote this stanza:

Up the airy mountain,
Down the rush glen,
We daren't go a-hunting
For fear of little men;
Wee folk, good folk,
Trooping all together;
Green jacket, red cap,
And white owl's feather!

The little men mentioned therein were once thought of as vexatious pixies. Now we regard them as gremlins. Their women folk are fifinellas and their children are widgets.

Some gremlins are rollicking and fun-loving: others are mischievous and take elfish delight in tempting us or causing us to fail to meet expectations. How convenient to say the gremlins are responsible for failure to arrive at school on time; for failure to complete assignments on time; for failure to be attentive; for failure to maintain good health; for failure to triumph in an athletic contest.

May we hope for all the pupils and friends of Hartford High a closer acquaintance with the more serious and good-natured gremlins so that there may be better hunting in 1945.

Clifford L. Pribble.

Gremlin Research Department

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Policy Makers

Mr. Joseph Wagner has advanced a progressive educational program in our school during his past seven years as a very efficient supervisor. His beneficial services and successful undertakings have thoroughly shown that he is well qualified for his position of leadership in administration. His exceptionally pleasing personality has not only made him exceedingly popular with the other faculty members and the student body, but with the rest of the community as well. He has patiently, diligently, and enthusiastically helped to put over our civilian defense program in this city. His wisdom and business efficiency are shown by our systematic school management and supervision.

As another school year passes and we bring to our minds those who are responsible for making it a happy and successful one, we must acknowledge a debt to the Board of Education. The three members—Mr. Raymond Maddox, Mr. Elmer Lucas, and Mr. George Fulton (a new member)—have worked continually and thoroughly for the betterment of the educational system. Each has labored untiringly for the welfare of the students.

These men, each an expert in his own business, have united for the success of our education. They have practiced economy, yet planned progressively.

Miss Leila Lewis, secretary to the board, is also to be thanked. She has executed her duties excellently.

Counselors

In his first year with us Mr. Pribble has gained the hearty cooperation and support of the student body and faculty. He has proved that he is very capable and has unusual ability for leadership. As principal of our school, even though his time is so valuable, we have found him always ready to help us with our individual difficulties. Mr. Pribble has a special manner that makes the students feel they are really a part of the school and should contribute accordingly. Our principal's prime interest is in enabling the youth of the community to obtain a well-rounded education that will fit them for life in the complex world of today.

Miss Borden, our assistant principal and personal adviser, has not only given us the encouragement we have needed but has also guided us in steps to be taken in our future lives.

She has analyzed our problems individually and helped us in their solution according to our own personalities. She has taken part in all wartime activities and has followed the course that she has set for us, providing an excellent example. Her personal associations with us have gained her the true friendship of all.

She has given support to our extra-curricular activities and has helped to make them huge successes.

To her we students of the Senior Class owe much—her who has given so much towards our goals and asked so little in return.

Our Faculty

ROBERT AUSTIN
General Metals, Machine Shop, Auto Mechanics.
B. Ed., University of Toledo.

ESTHER DANIELS
English.
A. B., Ball State, Oxford College.

E. L. BRITTAN
Instrumental Music.
A. B., Valparaiso.

MABEL FEE
English, History.
A. B., Ball State, Ohio State.

EDGAR D. HENDERSON
English.
A. B., Manchester; University of Michigan.

EDITH CHALFANT
English, Librarian.
A. B., Indiana Central College.

LEE GLENTZER
Physical Education, Health.
B. S., Ball State.

MARY ELLEN HERBAUGH
Physical Education.
B. S., A. G. U., Normal College, Ball State.

RUTH A. COLE
History.
A. B., M. A., Indiana University.

MARY GREENE
Health, Safety, Science.
A. B., Indiana University; Ball State.

RUTH HOWARD
English.
B. A., Indiana Central.

ROBERT CROSS
Agriculture, Science, Wood Shop.
B. S. A., Purdue.

SHURLEIGH HARTER
Mathematics, Latin.
A. B., Indiana University.

Inspiration . . . Guidance . . .

PAULINE HUFFMAN
History, General Science.
B. S., Ball State.

LAWRENCE P. MYERS
Diversified Occupations, Industrial Arts.
B. S., Ball State.

LEONARD IRELAND
Athletic Director, Commerce.
B. S., Ball State.

ESTHER NESBIT
Music Supervisor.
B. M., B. M. E., M. M., Illinois Wesleyan.

GEORGE TELLE
Mathematics, Physics, Radio-electricity.
A. B., Indiana University.

ALBERT MAHIN
Mathematics, Chemistry.
A. B., Indiana Central; M. S., Purdue.

COLON PARKS
Biology, History,
B. S., Indiana Central.

FLOYD WARNER
History, Mathematics.
B. S., Indiana State

VERA MILAR
Civics, Economics, History.
A. B., Ball State; M. A., University of Iowa.

BERNICE RAGER SAILOR
Art Supervisor.
B. A. E., De Pauw, John Herron.

MARION WILLIAMSON
Commerce.
B. S., Ball State, University of Wisconsin.

WILLIAM MODLIN
Mathematics.
State Teachers College.

MARGARET SCHAEFER
Home Economics.
A. B., Oakland City College.

Erroneous Erasmus

You struck two B's there for two C's;
Now isn't that distressing!
Yes, when I'm down there near your keys,
I sure do keep you guessing.

We Concentrate

"You'll be late for class!" "What's our assignment for today?" "Let's move on!" "Don't clutter up the halls." These are familiar phrases between classes at Hartford City High School.

Classes begin at 8:20 in the morning. A full day contains seven periods, each of which is 55 minutes in length. A five-minute passing period is given between the classes. We are given an hour and twenty minutes for lunch. School ends at 4:00 in the afternoon.

At the beginning of each period attendance is taken and all important announcements pertaining to class are made previous to the day's recitation. Some classes are divided into two parts, the first half given to recitation of the lesson previously assigned and the last half to study for the lesson for the coming day. However, most classes are given over to recitation for the complete period, as everyone's schedule is arranged to give the student study periods throughout the week.

A variety of subjects is offered the pupil of our high school. Each individual signs for a definite course at the beginning of a semester and follows that course in choosing his subjects. Mathematics, English, science, history, commerce, and such usual subjects are offered. Extra electives include music, art, shop-work, home economics, and health.

The school year is divided into two parts called semesters and they in turn are divided into periods of 6 weeks, of which there are three. At the end of each six-week period a report on your progress in each subject is given.

To the youth these portals of learning have been given; so may the youth enrich its mind for the future.

Intelligentsia: 1944

Dorothy Murphy
Robert Schmidt
Robert Rodgers
Jane Mahorney
Mary Elaine Ball
Martha L. Burns
Marjorie Kriegbaum
Jean Willman
Helen Wilson
Joyce A. Stallsmith
Roumain Schmidt
Dolores Miller
June A. Willman
Ruth E. Henley
Ernestine Moore
Billie Jean Davis
Linda McDaniel
Monabelle Marie Felger
Barbara Sue Reidy
Betty Ray Hupe
Anne Stout
Joanne O'Connell
Richard Needler
Mary Lou Lord
Fred Worthen
Deloris LeVally
Lois Ileen Bantz
Janice Arlou Hayden
Albert Eugene Johnson
Vera Rhodes
Jane Pattison
Joan Bickel
Fredonna Clark
Julia Martindale
Crystal Steinhilber

Senior Class Song

(Tune: Alexander's Ragtime Band)

By Janice Hayden

Come on along; Come on along;
Let us take you by the hand
To Hartford High, to Hartford High,
For it's the best school in the land;
You can learn your ABC's, Latin, Math, and History,
And other miseries it takes to live a life of ease—
It's just the best school in the land,
That school what am.
Come on along; Come on along;
Underclassmen, take our hand,
And fall in line, and forward march!
For we know you have the stand.
Come on, all Jr's, Sophs, Freshman and Jr. High—
Come on and sing, and make it ring—
Hip! Hip!
Hooray! for Hartford High!

Winner of D. A. R. Award

Pre-enlistment days

Quit drooling, Jim!

"You heard me!"

"POME"

Dorothy Murphy

You could always tell us
Wherever we might be.
There was somehow a difference about us.
A look that was wonderfully free.

We weren't exceptionally brilliant.
We weren't known for our grades.
But you will remember our friendliness
That never, never fades.

We always liked a fight.
And we always like a song.
Doubtless in our four-year course,
We did many things that were wrong.

But you couldn't help but like us.
We were lively, eager, and gay.
While we were in old H. C. H. S.,
There was never a dark, dull day.

These seniors are not pictured on the following pages.

James A. Bedwell

Robert J. Oswalt

Emily Sue Alexander

"Dimples"

History Club; Glee Club.

James L. Allmon

"8-9-10-you're out!"

Basketball; Baseball; Hi-Y; Nature Study Club, Treas.; Golden Gloves.

Richard L. Anderson

Greased Lightning

Basketball; Baseball; Track; Band; Hi-Y; Stud. Council; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club, President.

Mary Ball

"Look at the birdie."

Retro, Photography Editor; Girl Reserves; History Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club; Latin Contest Winner; Algebra Contest.

Lois Ilene Bantz

"The bobby pin shortage doesn't bother her"

Girl Reserves; History Club; Soc. Sci. Club; Nature Study Club; Dramatic Club.

Jack D. Beckley

"Blondy"

Basketball; History Club; Soc. Sci. Club.

Jim Bell

"Please put your feet down, Jim."

Baseball; Hi-Y; Stud. Council; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club; "Miss Jimmy;" A Yell Leader.

Kenneth Wayne Bennett

"His hobby; collecting cars."

Track; Hi-Y; Math. Club; History Club; Nature Study Club.

Leona Bergdoll

Energy Incorporated.

Retro, Girls Sports Editor; Girl Reserves; Dramatic Club; French Club; G. A. A.

Joan Bickel

"What cha' know, Jo-an?"

Girl Reserves; Latin Club.

Donald Bolner

"I demand my rights!"

Track; Stud. Council; History Club; Nature Study Club; Glee Club.

Bernita Bonham

"I left it in my locker."

Girl Reserves; Math Club; History Club; Dramatic Club; G.A. A.; Glee Club.

Shirley E. Brown, Jr.

He likes his gloves golden.

Baseball; Band; Hi-Y; Math. Club; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club; "The Great Ben Allah"; Stud. Mgr.; Golden Gloves.

Junior "Pete" Buffenbarger

"Check your tires, sir?"

Martha Burns

She carries the torch for —students' rights.

Retro, Art Editor; Flag Twirler; Girl Reserve; Math Club, Pres; Stud. Council, Pres; History Club, Sec.; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club; "Miss Jimmy", Ticket Mgr.; Sec. Fresh Class; D. A. R. Award.

Joseph L. Cain

Tall, dark and—handy with a basketball.

Basketball; Baseball.

Betty Lou Canter

Queen of us all.

Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club; Prom Queen.

William J. Carmichael

He surely can "Pick-it".

Hi-Y; Sec. and Treas; History Club, Pres; Yell Leader.

Lillian Ellen Cheney

Order, Please!

Fredonna B. Clark

"Smilin' Through."

Girl Reserves; Stud. Council; History Club; Soc. Sci. Club; Dramatic Club; G. A. A.

Gene Claytor

Lean Gene

History Club; Nature Study Club.

Betty Cook

Our new classmate.

Girl Reserves; French Club.

Don Cottrell

"Morning, Gloria."

Lawrence Coulter

"Bogey"

Billie Jean Davis

"Our Gen-ius."

Retro, Faculty Editor; Hi-Y; Math Club; Science Club, Pres.; Stud. Council; History Club; Nature Study Club; "The Great Ben Allah".

Jim Davis

A well "red" man.

Yell Leader.

Bob Ducy

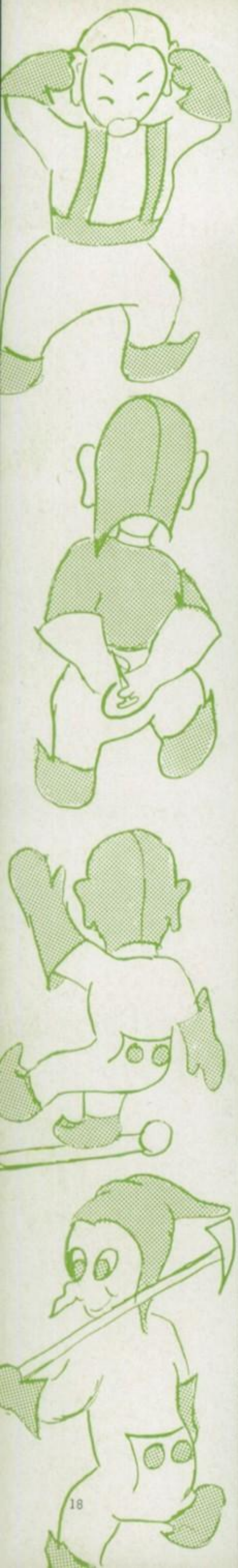
(Censored)

Hi-Y; History Club; Dramatic Club.

Thelma Edna Elliott

"She's engaged; she's lovely; does she use Ponds?"

Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.



Mabel Mae Eltzroth

A million dollar baby from a 5 & 10c store.

Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.

Virginia Everhart

He's "Ever" in her "Hart".

Retro Staff, Activities Editor.

Monabelle Felger

"Lightning Fingers".

Girl Reserves; Math Club; History Club; Soc. Sc. Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club.

Robert E. Fields

"L. S. M. F. T."

Band; Orchestra; Hi-Y; Math Club; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club; Yell Leader.

Anna Virginia Gadbury

A smile pays big dividends.

Orchestra; Girl Reserve; Soc. Sc. Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Glee Club.

John W. Hardwick

A diller a dollar, our ten o'clock scholar.

Math. Club; History Club.

Leonard E. Harpst

"Datin' " bound.

History Club; Nature Study Club.

Janice A. Hayden

He's 1-A in the army and A-1 in her heart.

Retro, Class Editor; Band, Treas; Orchestra; Girl Reserves; Math Club; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club; "Miss Jimmy", "The Great Ben Allah,"; Treas., Soph. Class; Twirler in Band.

Don C. Henery

"Come 'Fly' away in my Model A."

Stud. Council.

Ruth E. Henley

"There nothing doing in the halls; guess I'll go to class."

Retro, Business Mgr.; Orchestra; Girl Reserves; Math Club; History Club; Soc. Sci. Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club, Secretary; Nature Study Club; G. A. A.; Latin Contest.

Leslie Max Hile

Delco's Supercharger

Retro, Assistant Business Mgr.; Hi-Y; History Club; Nature St. Club.

Elva Hoffman (Du Bois)

Her life has been "Fuller" in H. C. H. S.

Girl Reserves; History Club.

Margaret Hunnaman

Smilin' Margaret

Girl Reserves; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.

Betty Ray Hupe

She rides her hobby-horses.

Band; Orchestra; Girl Reserves; Science Club; History Club.

Gene Johnson

Our high-point man

Basketball, Captain; Baseball; Track; Hi-Y; Stud. Council.

Marjorie Elaine Kriegbaum

It's not a mountain but a "Cliff".

Retro, Literary Ed.; Flag Twirler; Girl Reserves; Math Club; Science Club; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club, Secretary; Nature Study Club; G. A. A.; "Miss Jimmy"; The Great Ben Allah".

Jean R. Landis

Printer's Devil.

Basketball; Baseball; Nature Study Club.

Mary Elizabeth Landis

"Rhapsody in Blue".

Girl Reserves; History Club.

Dorothy Eileen Lane

Lover's Lane.

Girl Reserves; Stud. Council; History Club; Dramatic Club; G. A. A.

Delores LeValley

"HUR—Ray"

Girl Reserves; Math Club; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club.

Junior Long

"No, Mr. Glentzer, I haven't been to the store."

Basketball; Nature Study Club, Vice-Pres.

Mary Lou Lord

"Skater's Waltz".

Girl Reserves; History Club; Soc. Sc. Club; Dramatic Club; G. A. A.

Louanna Love

Quiet—but love-ly

Girl Reserves; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club; Glee Club.

Jane Cassell Mahorney

"Gee, aren't Pic's swell"!

Flag Twirler; Girl Reserves, Pres; Math Club; History Club; Soc. Sci. Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club, Secretary; G. A. A.; Secretary Soph. and Jr. Class; Vice-Pres. Sr. Class; Senior Carnival Queen.

Julia Martindale

"Onions, pickle and catsup".

Girl Reserves; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.

Violet Lucile May

Our girl, Sundae

History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.

Dolores Maxine Miller

"Are you coming, Dagwood"?

Retro, Art Director; Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club.

Bob Mack Moore

"She's my pride and Joyce."

Retro, Photographer; Hi-Y; Stud. Council, Treasurer; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club, Pres.; Sec. Soph. Class.

Martha Ernestine Moore

"Moore and Moore", just like her!

Girl Reserves; History Club Soc. Sc. Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.

Dorothy Lucile Murphy

"Irish eyes are smilin'" —but obviously not at these title puns.

Retro, Editor; Band; Librarian; Orchestra; Math Club; Science Club; History Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club; G. A. A., President; Glee Club; "Miss Jimmy"; Treas. Freshman Class; Vice-Pres. Soph. Class; Treas. Junior Class; Latin Contest Winner; American Legion Contest Winner.

Maxine June Murphy

'Have you heard the one about the Moron that —?"

History Club; Dramatic Club.

David E. Myers

How you going to keep him down on the farm?

Hi-Y; Nature Study Club; Ag. Club.

Linda McDaniel

She knows her "Tales of Man-huntin'".

Math Club; History Club.

Richard E. Needler

First bank president (in charge of sweeping.)

Basketball; Baseball, Captain; Hi-Y; Pres.; Math Club; History Club; Nature Study Club; Vice-Pres. Freshman Class; Pres. Soph. Class.

Joanne O'Connell

Frank Swoonatra Fan Club No. 321765098.

Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Nature Study Club.

Loring Overmyer

Two-toned trouser twirp

Hi-Y; Glee Club.

Martha L. Owens

Our part-time resident

Retro Staff; Girl Reserves; Stud. Council; Soc. Sc. Club; French Club; G. A. A.

Raymond Parker

He gets the breaks—in the leg.

Basketball.

Jane Pattison

Hi, Beautiful!

Glee Club; Retro, Copy Editor; Girl Reserve, Sec., Vice-Pres.; History Club; Dramatic Club; French Club, Treas.

Frances Pickett

"The pause that refreshes".

Girl Reserve.

Robert W. Rea

From LeValley to the Air Corps.

Glee Club.

Barbara Sue Reidy

The gravy's in the navy.

Flag Twirler; Girl Reserve, Treas; Math Club; Stud. Council; History Club; Soc. Sci. Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club.

Vera Maxine Rhodes

"Oh, my!."

Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; G. A. A.; "Miss Jimmy," "The Great Ben Allah"; French Club, Pres., Sec.

Robert C. Rodgers

Night-man at the greenhouse.

Track; Retro, Asst. Editor; Hi-Y; Math Club; Science Club; History Club; Soc. Sc. Club; Latin Club, Treas; Nature Study; Ag. Club; "Miss Jimmy"; "The Great Ben Allah"; State Geometry Contest; State Track and Field Meet.

Robert C. Schmidt

He played with fire and got Burns.

Baseball; Retro, Sports Editor; Hi-Y; Math Club Sec.; Science Club. History Club; Ag. Club; "The Great Ben Allah"; Pres. Junior Class; Algebra Contest; Geometry Contest.

Roumain Schmidt

She "Roumains" sweet.

Girl Reserve; History Club; Soc. Sci. Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club.

Genelda F. Schultz

A "Bud" has blossomed in her life.

Girl Reserve; G. A. A.; Glee Club.

Dorothy Helen Schwartzkoph

"Could we borrow your little black book?"

Orchestra; Girl Reserves, Song Leader; Math Club; Soc. Sci. Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.

Gail R. Schwartzkopf

"Pepsodent Grin."

Band; Hi-Y; History Club; Dramatic Club; Nature Study Club.

Dale E. Schrack

"Our all-around good guy."

History Club; Social Science Club; French Club.

Robert T. Simison

"Semi-Trucks?"

Band; Orchestra; Hi-Y; History Club, Secretary; Dramatic Club; French Club; Nature Study Club; "Miss Jimmy."

Joyce Anne Stahlsmith

"Gentlemen prefer — you know!"

Retro, Copy Editor; Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; French Club; "Miss Jimmy"; "The Great Ben Allah"; Social Studies Club.

Crystal L. Steinhilber

"Dark Eyes"

Girl Reserve; History Club; Social Science Club; Dramatic Club.

Annabelle Stout

"My favorite subject, Jym".

Girl Reserve; History Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club; Secretary; French Club, Vice-Pres.

Margaret Pauline Stump

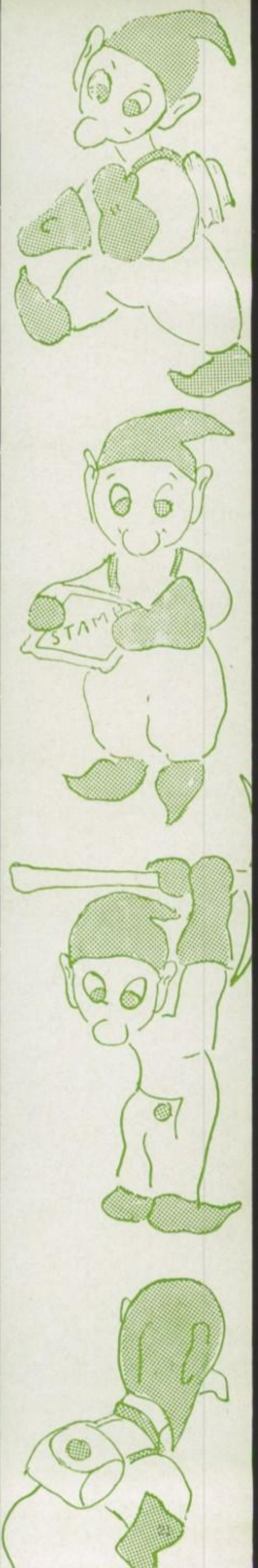
"Why blondes and brunettes are jealous."

Girl Reserve; Math Club; History Club; Secretary, Senior Class.

Orval Tatman, Jr.

"Big surprises come in small packages."

Band; Orchestra; Hi-Y.



Betty Loree Taylor

"Bittie Betty"

Dramatic Club.

Jack Townsend

"We can count on him."

Retro, Senior Editor; Math Club; History Club; Social Science Club; Dramatic Club; French Club; Nature Study Club.

June Madeline Townsend

"She doesn't talk much; she thinks."

Dramatic Club; Glee Club.

Betty Louise Tucker

"Any relation to Tommy?"

Dramatic Club; G. A. A.; Glee Club.

Gus Verona, Jr.

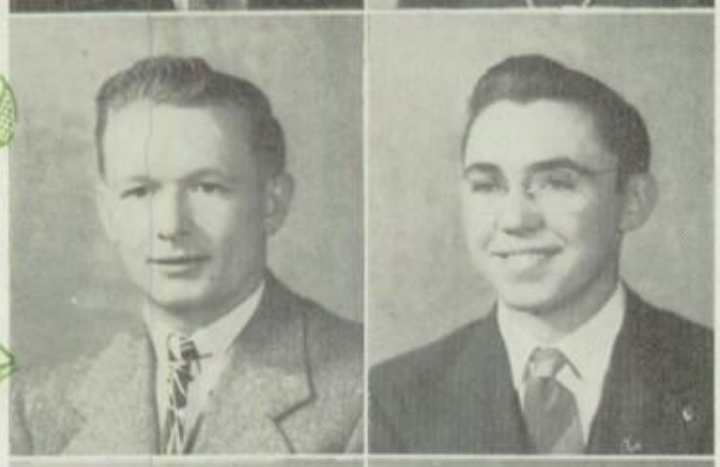
"Our gavel wielder."

Basketball; Math Club; History Club; Nature Study Club; Pres. Senior Class.

Beverly Way

"She has a Way with men."

Girl Reserves; "The Great Ben Allah"; Albany H. S. 3 years.



Harold Joseph Weseli

"Vim, vigor, and Vitalis."

Band; History Club; Nature Study Club; Band Trio.

Dohn F. Wiley

"Wily Wiley."

Student Council; Agriculture Club.

Jean Isabelle Willman

"I think this is—"

Girl Reserve; Math Club; History Club; Social Science Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club.

June Arabelle Willman

"or is it—?"

Girl Reserves; Math Club; History Club; Social Science Club; Dramatic Club; Latin Club.

Helen Edith Wilson

"Music Maker."

Band; Orchestra; Girl Reserve; Latin Club, President; Latin Contest.

Ruth Elizabeth Wimmer

"A woman of few words"

Nature Study Club; G.A.A.

Juanita Ruth Woolard

"Skeeter."

History Club; Social Studies Club, Dramatic Club.

Frederick Worthen

"Mr. Cronin's man Friday."

Band, uniforms; Hi-Y; Math Club; History Club; Nature Study Club.

Class Sponsors

Seniors

Mr. Mahin

Mrs. Milar

Juniors

Mr. Austin

Miss Cole

Sophomores

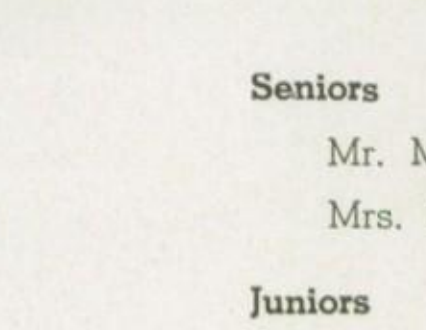
Mr. Parks

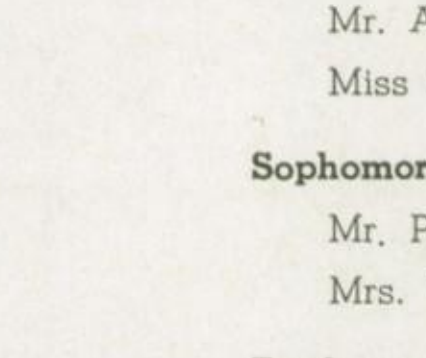
Mrs. Williamson

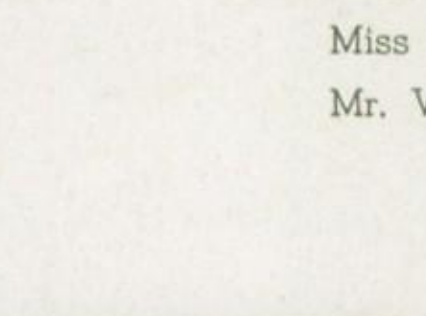
Freshmen

Miss Harter

Mr. Warner







Class Officers

Seniors

President ..... Gus Verona
Vice-president .... Jane Mahorney
Secretary ..... Pauline Stump
Treasurer ..... Barbara Sue Reidy

Juniors

President ..... Joseph Scheidler
Vice-president .. Dudley Luzadder
Secretary ..... Ann Reynolds
Treasurer ..... Judith Boyles

Sophomores

President ..... Gerald Guy
Vice-president .. Frank Kirkpatrick
Secretary ..... Elaine Morris
Treasurer ..... Beverly Thomason

Freshmen

President ..... Virgil Davis
Vice-president ..... Clyde Allmon
Secretary ..... Anne Harvey
Treasurer ..... Yvonne Andre

Prom Worries . . . Play Rehearsals . . .

JUNIORS

First Row: Mariam Amos, Marjorie Anderson, Gloria Andre, Frances Baker, Verlin Bantz, James Bedwell.

Second Row: Mamie Bell, John Bonham, Lois Bowdell, Judy Boyles, Mary Brothers, Virginia Buffenbarger.

Third Row: June Burnworth, Dorabelle Cheesman, Anita Clark, Gladys Conner, Mary Lou Creager, Bob Crouse.

Fourth Row: Barbara Reasoner, Ann Rynolds, Nellie Dardine, Janet Darst, Marion Davison, Vera Davis.

First Row: John Durr, Rosemary Dutton, Barbara Fields, Joan Flynn, Richard Frahm, Eugene Futtrell.

Second Row: Betty Gardner, Vera Lee Garr, Kieth Gross, Berta Hammitt, Loyle Haynes, Mary Lou Huffman.

Third Row: Marjorie Huggins, Marjorie Houseman, Mary Howard, Lowell Hyde, Bob Inman, Madonna Jones.

Fourth Row: Joan Knecht, Helen Knight, Marjorie Knox.

Self Confidence . . . "Next Year!" . . .

JUNIORS

First Row: Hope Lake, Bill Landis, Jack Landis, Dudley Luzadder, Twilla Lynch, Don McConey.

Second Row: Patty McCume, Joan McDonald, Joyce McGeath, Helen Markin, Joan Maddox, Mary Maddox.

Third Row: Joyce Martindale, Fred Medler, Ruby Miller, Betty Moore, Bill Musselman, Eugene Neff.

Fourth Row: Esther Overmeyer, Martha Owens, Gene Pettit, Jack Pooler, Katherine Price, Jack Pruden.

First Row: Byron Pursiful, Joe Scheidler, Mary Ann Sebring, Joanne Smith, Murray Slater, Juanita Snow.

Second Row: Richard Stroble, Richard Stroud, Betty Sorenson, Matilda Sutton, Sue Tatman, Richard Taylor.

Third Row: Gail Thornburg, Melvin Tucker, Glenn Twibell, Jean Van Horn, Wanda Waters, Delight Wilson.

Fourth Row: Mary Wilson, Ruth Wilson, Lorraine Winget.

SOPHOMORES

First Row: Robert Ball, Alden Balle, Ruby Bell, Wilber Bowen, Richard Cain, Martha Cheney.

Second Row: Tom Church, Jackie Claytor, Harry Cole, Rosemary Collins, Lila Lee Compton, Gerald Cook.

Third Row: Bill Cooper, Natalie Coulter, Bob Daniels, Elwanda David, Bill Davis, Bob Dee.

Fourth Row: Betty Denton, Margaret Dixon, Ruth Egnew, Harry Elliott, Dora Elwood, Dessa Florence.

Fifth Row: Betty Lou Futrell, Junior Gilbert, Janet Gough, Evelyn Green, Gerald Guy, Bob Hackney.

Sixth Row: Thomas Howard, Freda Howell, Dick Hughes, Virginia James, Bob Jenkins, Mary Sue Johnson.

Seventh Row: Dick Johnsonbaugh, Irene Keltner, Phyllis King, Frank Kirkpatrick, Bob Kinser, Bob Kreigbaum.

Eighth Row: Orvall Lamott, Frank Lane, Jean Lanning, Frances McCrum, Peggy McCune, Marilyn McKee.

Ninth Row: Patty Mahorney, Bill Martin, Ellen Medler.

Ambitious . . . Energetic . . .

Eager . . . Enthusiastic . . .

SOPHOMORES

First Row: Bill Meredith, Maxine Micheal, Harold Miller, Wesley Miller, Rethal Moore, Elaine Morris.

Second Row: Nilah J. Morris, Joyce Overmyer, James Pace, Richard Parks, Helen Peterson, Jerome Rabbitt.

Third Row: Mary Ramseyer, Virginia Ramseyer, Bob Rawlings, Bob Reynolds, Bob Rice, Charles Ridgeway.

Fourth Row: Mary Robertson, Marseline Robinson, Virginia Royce, Marjorie Russell, Eleanor Schiedler, Lowell Schultz

Fifth Row: Gene Shady, Joyce Shores, Veleda Sill, Steve Simmons, Lloyd Slater, Bill Stanley.

Sixth Row: Don Sthrome, Mary Louise Stiffler, Alyce Stout, Dealie Sullivan, Melvina Sutton, Beverly Thomason.

Seventh Row: Wanda Tomlinson, Richard Trussel, Ralph Tudor, Fred Van Gorden, Opal Wallace, Cletus Ward.

Eighth Row: George Wentz, Esther Wikel, Molly Jo Wiles, Delight Williams, Margaret Wilson, Basil Wood.

Ninth Row: Freda Woolard, Patty Workman, Don Wunderlin.

Don't Know Where They're Going . . .

FRESHMEN

First Row: Clyde Allmon, Yvonne Andre, Richard Atkinson, Mary Baker, Margaret Ball, Clarence Bell.

Second Row: Lorraine Bennett, Jack Bickel, Wilma Black, Bonnie Boyer, Richard Brook, Donald Burgess.

Third Row: James Burns, Vernabelle Cambell, Leo Carll, Patty Casterline, Fostine Cheeseman, Theodora Clark.

Fourth Row: Wanda Cline, Roberta Cook, Frances Coons, James Coronato, Barbara Cox, Bob Crawford.

Fifth Row: Martha Cronin, Virgil Davis, Doris Dodds, Madonna Dubois, Carol Dutro, Mary Earnest.

Sixth Row: Ronald Farling, Phyllis Feaster, James Felger, Denelda Flatter, Tom Flynn, Joyce Frahm.

Seventh Row: James Funk, Annabelle Futtrell, Allene Gardiner, Tom Garver, Fred Green, Helen Gross.

Eighth Row: Harold Goldsberry, Mable Haag, Norman Hahin, Nilah Hardwick, Anne Harvey, Bob Hildebrand.

Ninth Row: Franklin Hopkins, Russell Huffman, Lois James, Mary Ann James, Clyde Jones, Jack Jones.

Tenth Row: Merlin Jones, Myrtle Jones, Gerald Kemp.

But They're On Their Way . . .

FRESHMEN

First Row: Fern Lake, Raymond Lake, Bill Lamott, Lorena Lambert, Mary Lambiotte, Annette Landis.

Second Row: Charles Leist, Rebecca Lipp, Madeline Luzadder, Wayne McIntyre, Barbara McVicker, Paul May.

Third Row: Juanita Michael, Bob Willer, Betty Monroe, Howard Morris, Herald Mowlery, Elsie Nipp.

Fourth Row: Barbara O'Connell, Dick O'Connell, June Perry, Janet Piquet, Mary Pruden, David Rabitt.

Fifth Row: Jack Rains, Harriette Randall, Betty Ratliff, Thurman Ray, Jr., George Reidy, Mable Reynard.

Sixth Row: John Rosebaum, Tom Saxon, Bob Schultz, Mary Ann Secrest, Robert Shady, Bill Shatto.

Seventh Row: Norman Shatto, Patty Shatto, Virginia Sills, Steven Sims, Dale Snow, Junior Snyder.

Eighth Row: Sue Stone, Junior Taylor, Charles Timmons, Walter Thrasher, Richard Towsand, Ruth Towsand.

Ninth Row: Howard Wentz, Harry Wilcoxin, Bob Wilkins, Delores Williams, Richard Williams, Lawrence Willman.

Tenth Row: Bill Wimmer, Mary Woods, Edgar Wrestler.

Experience: One Year . . .

EIGHTH GRADE

First Row: Fern Alexander, Jeanette Alexander, Phyllis Atkinson, Betty Ayers, Delihah Baker, Nilliam Bates.

Second Row: Richard Beeson, George Bennett, Raymond Blankenbaker, Nina Byler, Norman Cartwright, Chester Cavanough.

Third Row: Jacqueline Cheney, Wilma Cline, Bill Cole, Junior Cook, Sam Cook, William Coons.

Fourth Row: Julia Cooper, Bill Creagor, Richard Creamer, John Crimmel, William Crouse, Jeanette Culbertson.

Fifth Row: Virginia Dillie, Gene Elliott, Mary Elliott, Mary J. Elliott, Robert Englehart, Gene Farling.

Sixth Row: Joan Fields, John Flynn, Bonnie Ford, James Fulton, Dean Gosnell, Jean Gosslink.

Seventh Row: Frank Gray, Norma Garver, Patricia Hays, Lynn Hile, Jack Hornbacker, Eugene Howard.

Eighth Row: Marilyn Huffman, Kenneth Hurst, Wayne Huston, Ralph James, Jane Johnsonbaugh, Bob Jones.

Ninth Row: Dick Jones, Dorothy Jones, Norma Jones, Eugene Kile.

Interests: Unrevealed . . .

EIGHTH GRADE

First Row: Forrest Kimmel, Bonnie Kirkwood, Mary Knoop', Dorothy Kravis, Herbert Lambert, June Landaker.

Second Row: Betty Landis, Joan Landis, Patty Lange, Dallas Leist, Don Linder, Jeanne Linder.

Third Row: Nancy Lord, Jack Luellen, Jack Lytle, Alberta McCrum, Ada Markins, Gladys May.

Fourth Row: Frances Melton, John Miller, Betty Mooreland, Rex Morgan, Patty Parkinson, Fred Patterson.

Fifth Row: Charles Price, Gene Rains, Bill Roderick, Dick Runyon, Helen Santilli, Janet Schrack.

Sixth Row: Joan Shatto, Anne Shoup, Dick Schache, George Shrock, Gerold Snyder, Charles Stone.

Seventh Row: Clyde Suits, Beverly Thornburgh, Burl Tucker, Earl Van Horn, Robert Van Horn, Allen Walker.

Eighth Row: Bob Warner, Lucille Wentz, Mary Whitaker, Bob Wickel, Nick Wilhem, Kathryne Williams.

Ninth Row: Jack Wishon, Patty Wishon, Thelma Woolard, Patty Zeek.

Big-Eyed Beginners . . .

SEVENTH GRADE

First Row: Iris Ahrens, Bernice Ayres, Byron Baker, Lydia Bales, Robert Beeson, Earl Bennett.

Second Row: Logan Bergdoll, Aileen Blakely, Wanda Blakely, Jack Boyles, Herbert Bridges, Tom Brown.

Third Row: Jean Buffenbarger, Jack Cheney, Ronnie Coons, Woodrow Coon, Brodely Crawford, Wayne Doty.

Fourth Row, Bill Davis, John Dixon, Ruby Dodds, George Emshwiller, Joan Enos, Jack Felger.

Fifth Row: George Fulton, Arthur Gadbury, John Gadbury, Richard Gadbury, Juanita Gardiner, Rex Garr.

Sixth Row: Lola Garrett, Donnie Garver, Betty Gumm, Helen Harless, Colleen Hurst, Patsy Huston.

Seventh Row: Stuart Hyde, Wanda Inman, Janet Johnson, Jeanette Johnson, Virgil Johnson, Betty James.

Eighth Row: Donna Kellogg, Harry Kimmall, Richard Kimmell, June King, Fred Knoderer, Lois Lake.

Ninth Row: Lois Lambert, David Landis, Lorena Landaker, Nathan Landaker, Bob Lawrence, June Lawrence.

Big Ideas . . .

SEVENTH GRADE

First Row: Charles Le Valley, Anne Lewis, Bill Linder, Mary Lyons, Bob McDermit, Anna Louise McIntyre.

Second Row: Rosemary McKee, Peter Maddox, Belva Markin, Bill May, Ernest Medler, Marietta Miller.

Third Row: Shirley Monroe, Phyllis Morgan, Donald Morris, Bonnie Needler, Janet Overmyer, John Overmeyer.

Fourth Row: John Pattison, Tom Pattison, Sue Perry, Dick Poivre, Margaret Ramseyer, Ann Rawlings.

Fifth Row: Jack Rennard, Norma Reichenbarger, Petty Reynolds, Darlene Risinger, Vaughn Rittenour, Carl Saunders.

Sixth Row: Dick Saxon, Patty Schuller, Phyllis Shatto, Dean Shaw, Patty Shaw, Jack Shoup.

Seventh Row: Jack Siders, Dale Snyder, Ora Lee Snyder, Wanda Sparks, Russell Stanley, Nancy Stiffler.

Eighth Row: Bob Stone, Tom Stone, John Stout, Frances Suite, Jack Tennison, Patricia Tomlinson.

Ninth Row: Charles Uhrick, Sarah Wallace, Dick Wert, George Williams, Robert Wine, Doris Woodard.

Mid-Year Seventh

ROW 1: Harold Huffman, Robert Smith, Ray L. Jones, John Rice, Bill Gosselink, Vaughn Cook, Billy Mabbitt, Dale Snyder, Bob McDermit, Ernest Jones, William Shady.
ROW 2: Bob Lininger, Jackie Lord, Jannalee Martin, Jean Mabbitt, Esther Bates, Joyce Johnson, Alene Doty, Patty DuBois, Ruthann Barley, Annabell Alexander.
ROW 3: Tommy Wagner, Nila Sue Coon, Wanda Lee Goff, Norma Jean Overmyer, Jeanene Cheney, Frances Ritenour, Peggy Hays, Patty Lou Albright, Barbara Ann Kirkpatrick.
Row 4: George Emshwiller, Robert Roderick, Jackie Speidel, Donna Jean Kemp, Ella Mae Hess, Betty Jean Warren, Georgianna Williams, Anita Pownall, Alice Nortan.

SPONSORS

Seventh Grade: Miss Chalfant, Mr. Cross.
Eighth Grade: Miss Greene, Miss Huffman.

OFFICERS

Seventh Grade: George Willman, Jack Cheney, Rosemary McKee, Ann Rawlings.

Eighth Grade: James Fulton, Jean Linder, Joan Shatto, Jeanette Alexander.

In Memoriam

Robert Zimmerman

Ruth David

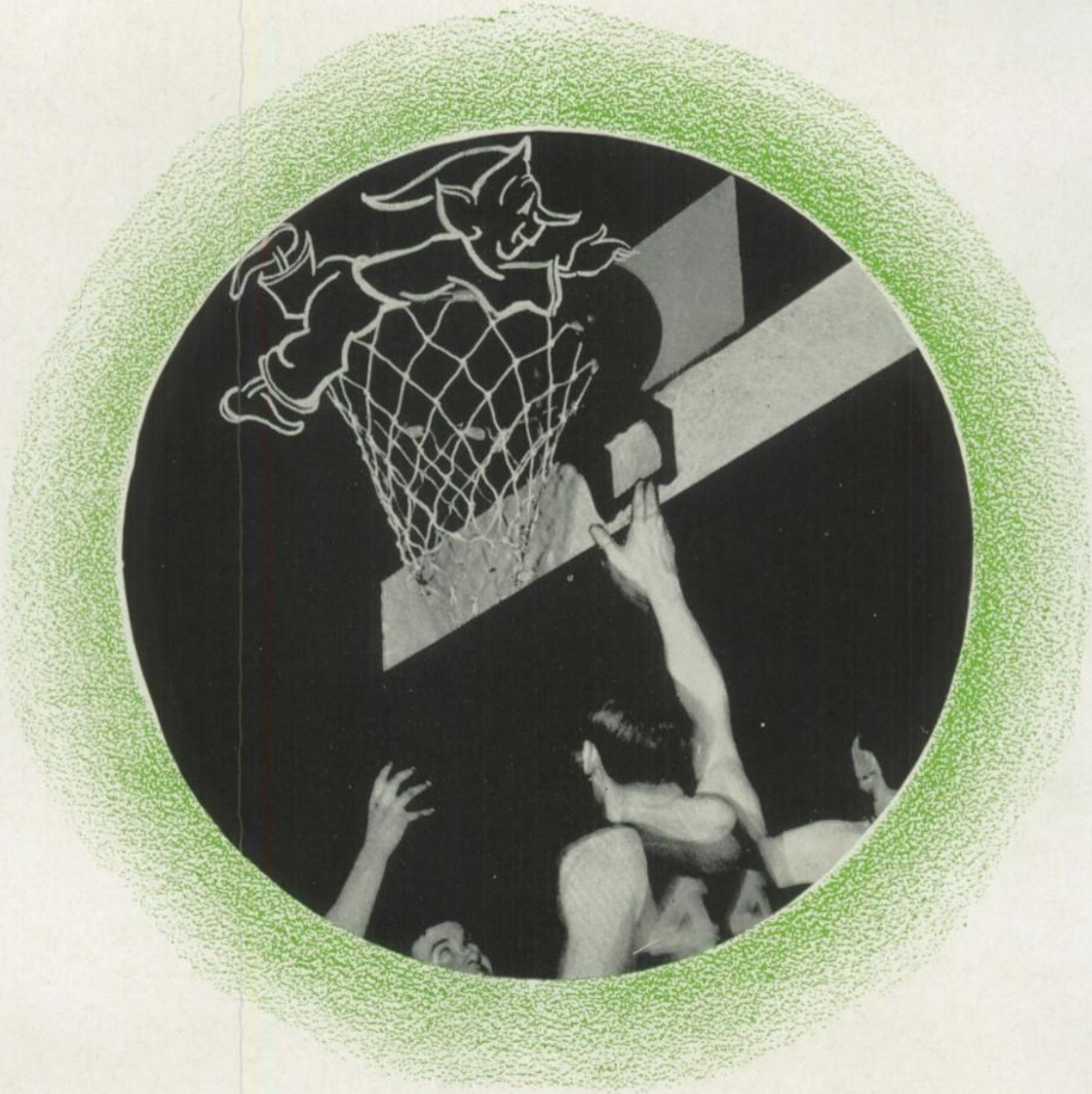
Pre-Life Practice

Here are some more of the "old oil" by-products of Hartford High's grease monkeys. Could this be coming events casting their shadows before? Air Force—maybe?

The finely drawn expressions on the lads' faces are the products of hours and hours of concentration. The mechanical drawing class is proud to give to the world a group of men who know where to draw the line.

A tisket, a tasket,
A little sewing basket—
A needle, a pin,
Thats the way to begin.
A tuck, a dart,
Makes a very good start
A pleat, some sheering,
No point in hurrying.
A gusset, a sleeve
They're ready to leave.
My! Don't they look stunning?

Gail, Loyle, Don, and Joe;
That's the way with radio.
Carefully give the dial a twirl—
No room here for a giddy girl.
String the aerial round and round,
Lap a wire to the ground,
Listen closely when passing the door.
Testing . . . One—two—three—four.



Discouragin' Dan

They don't know why they miss them,
They don't know what to say;
It's 'cause I perch upon the rim
And push the balls away.

We Co-operate

We, the students of Hartford High, believe in developing our social as well as intellectual skills. Our clubs, musical organizations, and athletic groups provide this opportunity. Here we meet those with whom we have interests in common. We share in experience, and profit from the exchange of ideas.

Here we find our natural abilities and hidden talents. Here we choose the interests that will have such importance in our future lives.

In these groups we mix business and pleasure and prove that it works. Yes, we have pleasant, enjoyable times together, but at the same time we have a serious purpose —the **development** of our minds and bodies.

Clubs keep the school routine from becoming monotony and drudgery. Here we recover our cheerful smiles and carefree personalities after a slow, hard day of concentration and study.

Some groups contribute in a particular way to the morale of the whole student body by their activities; for instance, the athletic division. We all enter into the alma mater spirit at a basketball or baseball game. Of course, all groups influence the morale of the group as a whole by the effect that they wield upon members.

Yes, no matter in what direction our interests lie, there is an organization in Hartford High where we can further our education on the matter and be associated with the people who have ideas in common with ours.

"Jumpin' Jupiter"

(1943 Senior Class Play)

Abby, aspires to be a singer ..... Martha Willman
Dot, aspires to be a dancer ..... Helen Honey
Gilda, aspires to clean the apartment ..... Sarah Harvey
Minnie Mildew, aspires to find a victim ..... Patty Johnston
Robert Wright, aspires to sell his musical comedy ..... Robert Murphy
Mollie Malone, aspires to collect the rent ..... Esther Gosnell
Patricia Arnold, aspires to be an actress ..... Mary Jeanne Franklin
Messenger Boy, aspires to deliver a telegram ..... Dominic Wilson
Policewoman, aspires to catch a criminal ..... Patricia Crouse
Oscar Bimbleton, aspires to be an astrologer ..... Sam Townsend
Irene Manning, aspires to return home ..... Violet Sills
Ben, aspires to be bold and daring ..... John Brothers

"Pat, frisk him and see if he's got a gun."

"At last! . . . At last! . . . A victim!"

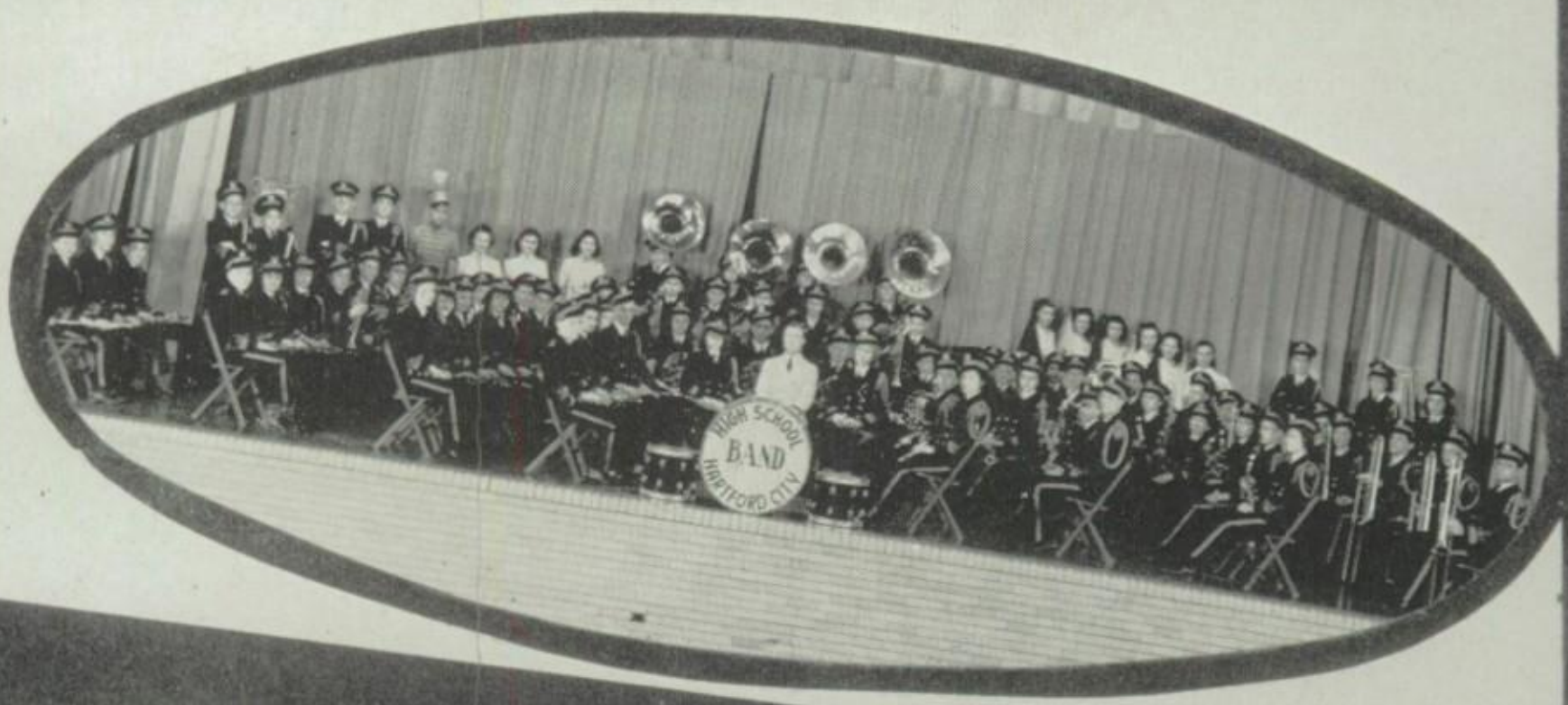
"Gilda — you're kidnapped!"

The Entire Company

"The Great Ben Allah"

(1944 Senior Class Play)

Ben Allen, who might be called a "fakir" ..... Robert Schmidt
Ed Weston, who fakes somewhat himself ..... Robert Rodgers
Ruth Aldrich, who wants to marry for love, especially Ben
Joyce Ann Stahlsmith
Jessica Aldrich, Ruth's mother, and spiritual-minded .... Marjorie Kriegbaum
Roberta Houston, Jessica's practical sister ..... Janice Hayden
Helen Johnson, Ruth's close friend ..... Barbara Sue Reidy
Mrs. Schyler Van Schuler, Mrs. Aldrich's friend in spiritualism....Vera Rhodes
Hawkins, the butler, not caring much for spiritualism ..... Gene Davis
Dorothy, the maid, caring much for Hawkins ..... Bevery Way
Professor Randolph Rawlings, a psychologist-spiritualist ..... Shirley Brown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"Limey"

Mr. Brittan's democratic method of teaching is appreciated by his students and all who know him. His excellent knowledge of music and easy manner of transmitting the information to others has enabled our director to organize and develop a large and efficient instrumental program of music in our school. His ready smile and English manner made him a favorite of the student body and faculty.

Master Musicians

SENIOR BAND

Director: E. L. Brittan.
Flutes: Patty McCune, Rosemary McKee.
Oboe: Darlene Risinger.
Bassoon: Janice Hayden.
Alto Clarinet: Bob Simison.
Bass Clarinet: Loyle Haynes.
B-flat Clarinets: Frank Kirkpatrick, Harold Weseli, Joan Smith, Lowell Hyde, Dorabelle Cheeseman, Margaret Dixon, Betty Rae Hupe. Peggy McCune, Mary Ann Secrest, Gloria Andre, Janet Gough, John Parks, Tom Garver, Shirley Ann Monroe, Stuart Hyde, Kathryn Williams, Connie Hildebrand, Tom Flynn.
Alto Sax: Opal Wallace, Frank Lane, Fostine Cheeseman, Lois Ann Lake.
Tenor Sax: Jeanette Alexander.
Baritone Sax: Nick Wilhelms.
Cornets: Junior Tatman, Bill Lamott, Ronny Farling, Merlin Jones, Tom Church, Wayne McIntyre, Jack Boyles, Bill Linder, Raymond Lake, Ann Harvey, Dick Jones, Bob Hildebrand, Gene Farling, Paul May.
French Horns: Dorothy Murphy, Bob Fields, Jack Chaney, Lorena Lambert, Annabette Futrell.
Baritone: Melvian Sutton, Basil Wood, Bill Davis, Dick Johnsonbaugh.
Trombones: Shirley Brown, Gail Schwartzkoph, Bill McColly, Gerald Guy, Nilah Jane Morris, Helen Peterson, David Rabbitt, Junior Cook.
Basses: Harold Miller, Virgil Johnson, Lloyd Slater, John Rosenbaum.
Drums: Charles Ridgeway, Clyde Suite, Bill Roderick, Norman Hawn, Bob Zimmerman, Frank Gray.
Tymps: Jack Pruden.
Marimba: Helen Wilson, Joyce Frahm.
Drum Major: Norman Hawn.
Baton Twirlers: Berta Hammit, Mary Wilson, June Landaker.
Flag Twirlers: Alice Stout, Barbara Cox, Barbara Reasoner, Ruth Wilson, Joan McDonald, Yvonne Andre.
Student Director: Frank Kirkpatrick.
Treasurer: Janice Hayden.
Librarian: Dorothy Murphy.

Straussites

ORCHESTRA:

Director: E. L. Brittan
Pianist: Mary Ann Secrest.
Violins: Ada Markins, Betty Ratliff, Jack Bickel, Basil Wood, Nina Byler, Joyce Frahm, June Landaker, Jane Johnsonbaugh, Annabelle Futrell, Thelma Woolard, Robert Schultz.
Flute: Rosemary McKee.
Oboe: Darlene Risiniger.
Cello: Janice Hayden.
B-flat Clarinets: Margaret Dixon, Shirley Monroe, Betty Rae Hupe.
Alto Saxaphones: Frank Kirkpatrick, Lois Ann Lake.
Tenor Saxaphones: Jeannette Alexander.
Baritone Saxaphone: Nick Wilhems.
Cornets: Jack Boyles, Ann Harvey, Dick Jones, Raymond Lake, Bill Linder.
French Horns: Jack Chaney, Lorena Lambert.
Baritone: Bill Davis.
Trombones: David Rabbitt.
Basses: Harold Miller.
Drums: Bill Roderick.
Marimba: Helen Wilson.

Little Sousas

JUNIOR BAND:

Director: E. L. Brittan.
Flute: Bonnie Needler.
B-flat Clarinets: Bernice Ayers, June Johnson, Patty Huston, Ann Shoup, Francis Suite, Dick Poivre, Ernest Medler, Clyde Crimmel, Dick Wert, Tom James, Charles Leslie, George Fulton, Hal McConaugley.
C-Clarinets: Margaret Amos.
Cornets: Max Knoop, Betty Markins, Bill Davis, Gerald Leech, Fred Sills, Sherman Sills, Ronnie Coons, Anna Louise McIntire, Tom Brown, Richard Krimmel, Von Ritenour, Allan Baker, Ronald Uptegraft, David Mahorney, David Landis, Don Garver.
Alto Saxaphones: John Crimmel, Billy Bates, Jacqueline Wright, Sarah Wallace, Carol Knoderer.
B-flat Soprano Saxaphone: Jim McClain.
C Saxaphone: Barbara Kimmel.
Alto Horns: Lorena Lambert, Annabelle Futrell, Jane Johnsonbaugh.
Trombones: Junior Cook, Fred Knoderer.
Basses: Gene Kyle, Bob Warner, Jack Hornbaker, Norman Cortwright, Gerald Snyder.
Drums: Bussy Lake, Jack Siders, Peter Maddox, Don Burgess, Bill Shatto, Jim Bates, Jilm Shorey.

Melody Mistress

As the leader of the vocal music department of our school, Miss Nesbitt works tirelessly and diligently. She trains both our boys' and girls' Glee Clubs and in recent years has organized the Sextet (quintet this year). Her valuable experience combined with her outstanding talent makes us proud to have her as a teacher in our high school.

Music Is Our Madness

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

FIRST ROW: R. Dutton, M. Haag, D. Schwartzcopf, R. Townsend, E. Greene, L. Garrett, J. Overmeyer, G. Conner, S. Wallace, M. Owens, L. Compton, J. Snow, P. Mahorney, M. Wiles, C. Hurst, L. Landacre, B. Way, G. Schultz,M. Felger, B. Byler, B. Cook, P. Casterline.
SECOND ROW: J. Lanning, B. Ratliff, B. Landis, V. Gadbury, P. Feaster, V. Ramsyer, J. McGeath, B. Cheney, R. Egnew, J. Alexander, M. Ramsyer, R. Moore, E. Schiedler, B. Moore, J. Frahm, J. Enos, J. Lawrence, M. Wood, W. Cline, A. Rawlings, D. Flatter, M. James.
THIRD ROW: M. DuBois, P. Morgan, A. McIntyre, S. Monroe, R. McKee, J. Landaker, A. Earnest, J. McDonald, B. Hammitt, P. McCune, R. Henley, M. Burns, M. Anderson, A. Stout, A. Lewis, D. Murphy, D. Risinger, B. Needler, M. Wilson, M. Pruden, R. Miller, M. Houseman.
FOURTH ROW: F. Suite, W. Sparks, J. Johnson, J. Johnson, M. Russell, M. Michials, L. Bales, B. Thomason, V. Campbell, F. Evilsizer, M. Miller, D. Kellogg, C. Hilderbrand, I. Ahrens, L. Lake, O. Snyder, P. Schuller, J. Byler, Z. Bantz.

Our Prima Donnas

QUINTET

Girls' Quintet, First row: Anne Stout, Dorothy Murphy Martha Burns.
Second row: Janice Hayden, Miss Esther Nesbit, Berta Hammitt.

Future Carusos

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

FIRST ROW: J. Hornbaker, B. Jones, R. Jones, P. Maddox, D. Runyon, R. Warner, W. Cortwright, J. Miller, B. Cole, G. Willman, A. Gadbury, J. Lytle, C. Price.
SECOND ROW: B. Creagor, G. Emshwiller, B. Roderick, J. Siders, T. Stone, E. Kile, J. Shores, F. Patterson, J. Rabbitt, V. Ritenour, J. Gadbury, B. McDermit, E. Van Horn.
THIRD ROW: E. Medler, J. Stout, B. Linder, J. Dickson, J. Leuellen, T. Brown, J. Overmyer, D. Leist, D. Cook, R. Wine, R. Roderick, J. Speidel, J. Felger.

Junior-Senior Prom

Time: 9 o'clock, a spring evening in 1943.

Place: A transformed gymnasium.

Event—need you ask? The climax of the year's gala occasion, the prom, was innaugurated by the dignified president of a thrilled junior class placing the traditional crown of flowers on the head of the 1943 prom queen, Betty Canter.

Soft lights, the romantic blending of saxaphones playing "Stardust," an original attractive garden setting, and scores of beautifully gowned girls and handsome fellows all contributed toward making the Junior-Senior Prom an italicized item in our book of high school memories.

"Johnny's Go-boys"—Junior Brown and Bill Cooper.

"What's the matter, fellows? Are we behind?"

"Their favorite color—yeller!" Bill Carmicheal and Jim Davis.

"Go ahead, Bill; don't wait for the camera."

Let us consider, chums, the basketball. Do you remember back in the dark past when at the mention of basketball we had a vague idea of an inflated sphere carried in a basket? Then came the fateful year when we entered the realm of the institution of higher education. Basketball became an ideal in life, a constant thought, a major joy.

Although your minds had been crowded and drugged with thoughts of English and algebra, all is forgotten on Friday night. As you attempt to enter the gym, members of the junior class suddenly descend upon you and tear your coat from your back, leaving you only a slip of paper minus five cents. Soon comes the tipoff, and the ball game is under way. The teams race up and down the floor, baskets are scored, whistles blow, and the crowd drives itself into a frenzy. Time out, and the yell leaders go into action in an attempt to out-yell the opposing fans. Midway the band displays its talents as the crowd collects itself for the final moments. As play resumes, we have more of the same—only more so. The only ones in the gym who retain their sanity are the players themselves.

"Look, a foul! About ten seconds; there's the gun! Say, who won the game?"

"Are you kidding, mister? Hartford City, of course!"

Twelve Good Men

CAIN: Joe's height made him especially valuable under the backboards. Although slowed by illness midway in the season, he was always counted upon for a hard game at forward. Joe is a senior.

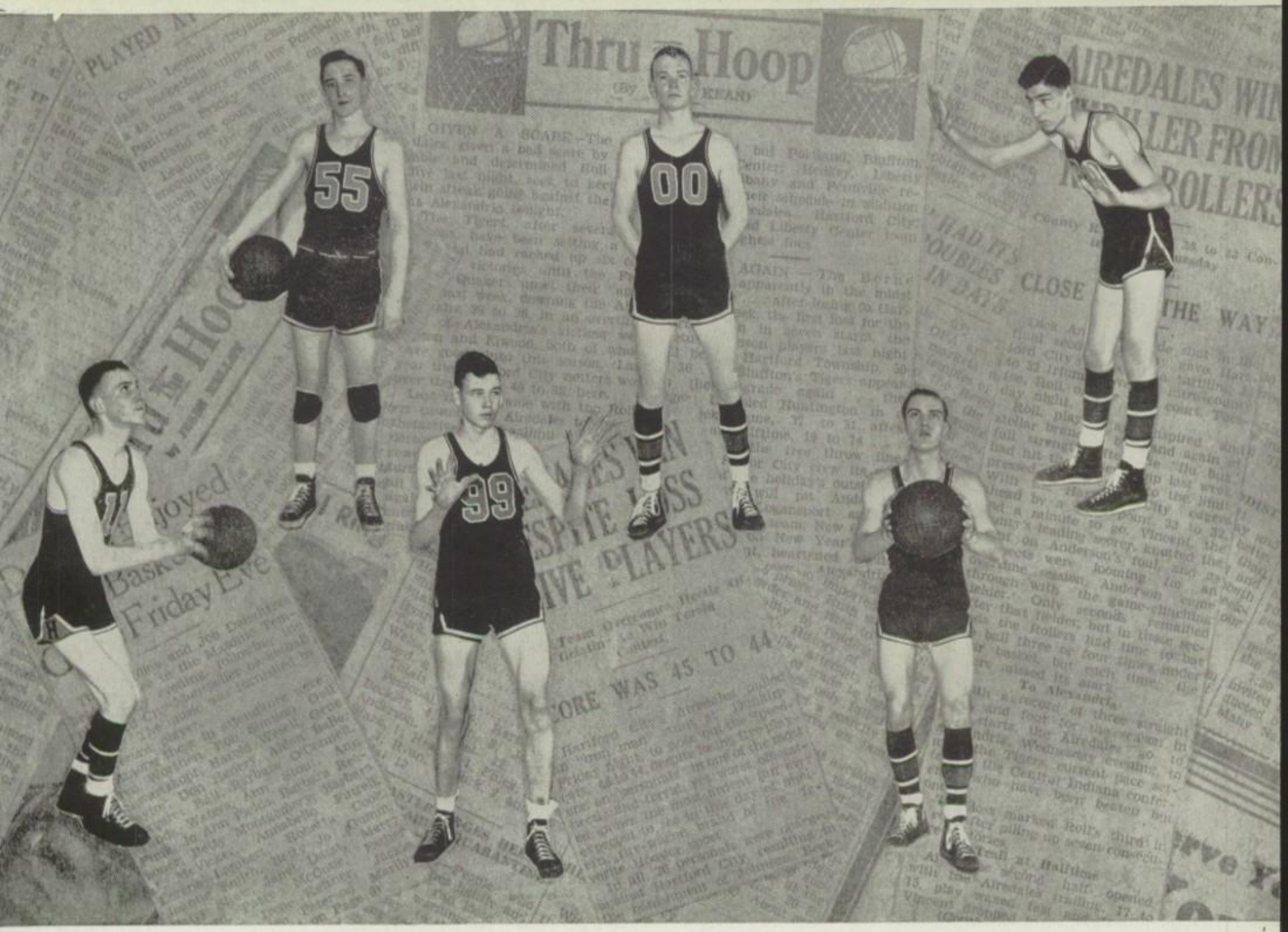
BECKLEY: Jack is noted for playing a tough game from start to finish. Jack's special ability on long shots from the side will be missed next year.

VERONA: Gus played both forward and center positions. He could always be counted upon for baskets and will be missed next year as he is a senior.

ALLMON: Gaining experience early in the season, Jim earned himself a place on the varsity. Jim is a senior and his skill on left handed shots will be added to the "wanted" list for next season.

JOHNSON: "Monk", our tall center and captain, is in there fighting every game. He is high point man and will be missed next year.

ANDERSON: Dick was always a high-light of the game. His drive and scoring ability were both outstanding and he will be hard to replace next year.



. . . And True

GILLAND: "Snake" usually played a guard position on the second team. Harold showed much ability both on offense and defense. He is a sophomore, allowing two more productive years.

LUZADDER: Although a junior, Dudley earned himself a regular place in every game. His dependability was always a steadying influence to the squad.

PETTIT: Gene is a junior and, considering his height and shooting ability, he promises to fill one of the graduation gaps.

LANDIS: Bill's "long one" was a special thrill of every game. With ability both on offense and defense, he promises to be of exceptional value in 1945.

TAYLOR: Dick usually played on the second team but at various times he broke into the varsity line-up. His height and ability should be of great advantage to the future Airedales.

TUCKER: In a forward position, Melvin is always "on the ball" and was a regular scorer with his famous one-hand over-head shot. "Tuck" has another great year ahead.

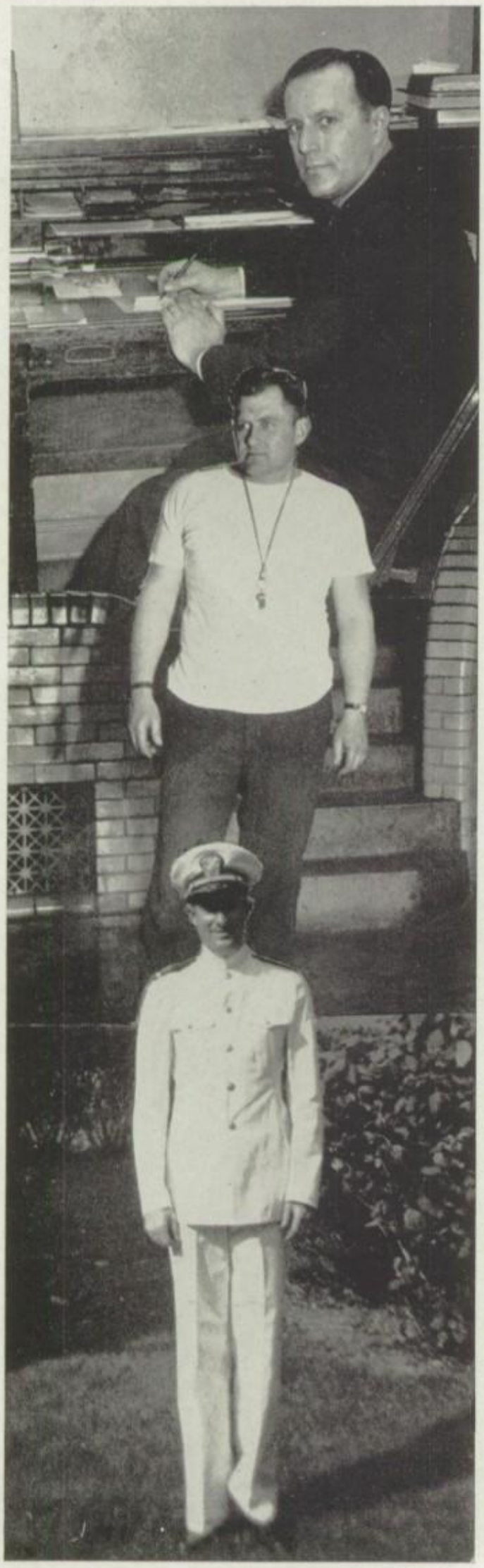
Pups

First Row: Bob Rice, Harold Gilland, Dick Cain, Bill Lamott, Bill Davis.
Second Row: Coach Glentzer, Gene Shady, Gerald Guy, Bob Kriegbaum, Richard Taylor, Delight Wilson, Student Mgr. Bill Cooper.

Junior High Squad

First Row: Earl Van Horn, Jack Lytle, Robert Warner, Jim Fulton.
Second Row: David Landis, John Flynn, Harry Kimmel, John Crimmel, Jack Hornbaker.
Third Row: Robert Van Horn, Norman Cartwright, Fred Patterson, Chester Cavanaugh, Eugene Kile, and Virgil Johnson.

Tacticians



"JOHNNY"

Leonard "Johnny" Ireland capably filled the position of athletic director this year. As coach of the basketball team, he built the Airedales into a smooth-running team which showed much strength and teamwork. Not only did Mr. Ireland coach basketball, but he also supervised the track and baseball teams.

"Johnny," a man of versatility, has a vigorous personality which never failed to guide and inspire the Airedale teams. The school is fortunate to have him directing its athletic program.

Mr. Ireland came to Hartford City last year after compiling a fine coaching record at Rock Creek High School.

LEE

Lee Glentzer came to Hartford City in October to become assistant coach when Mr. Dorton left for the Navy. He was coach at Bryant High School before he became connected with the Hartford City High School.

Mr. Glentzer spent many hours with the Pups as well as with the other teams of the high school. His guidance led them to many victories. He has efficiently filled a difficult position and we congratulate him on his fine efforts.

"KENNY"

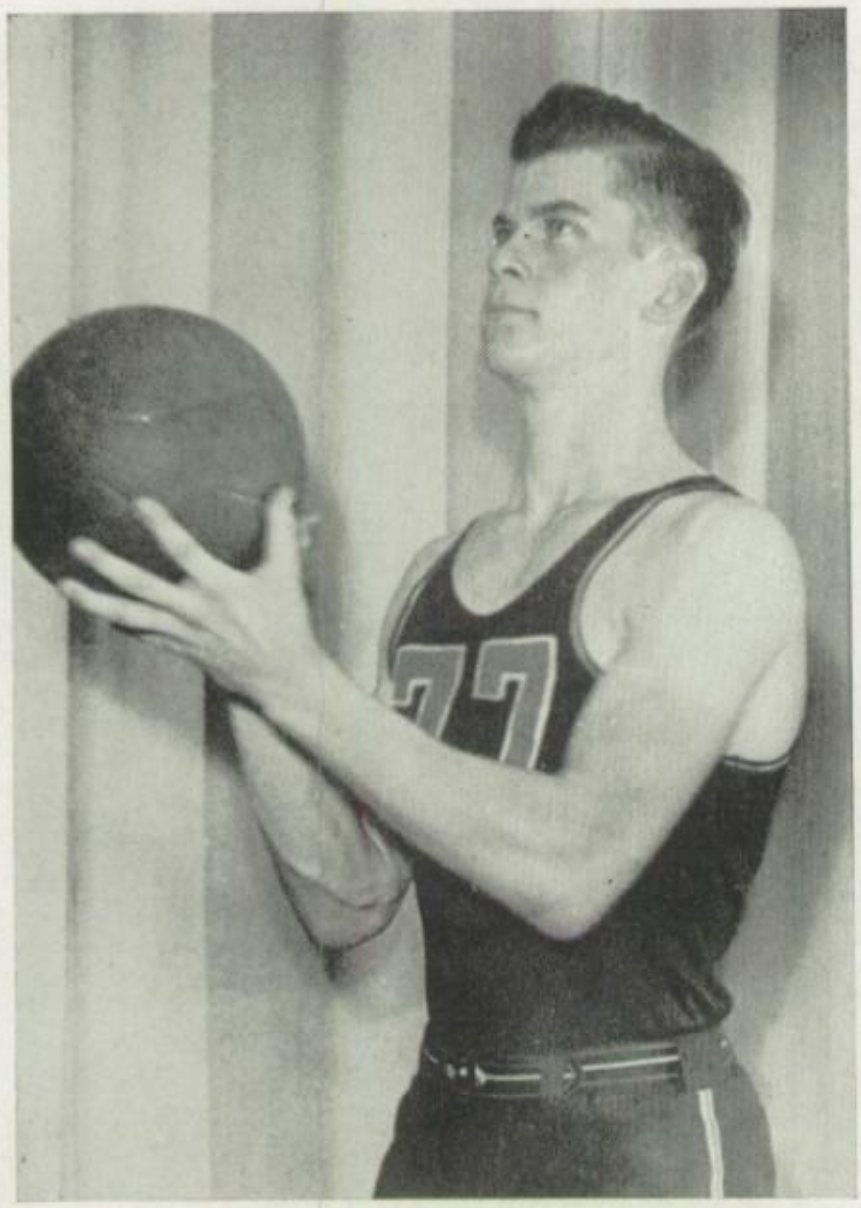
Kenneth Dorton, who served capably as head coach last year and taught two months this year, received a commission in the United States Navy and reported for duty in October.

We wish Mr. Dorton well in his new work.

Season's Record

Hartford City	35	Hartford City	36
Montpelier	39	Bluffton	39
Hartford City	29	Hartford City	26
Warren	30	Berne	43
Hartford City	18	Hartford City	25
Burris	23	Montpelier	33
Hartford City	32	Hartford City	35
Muncie Central	34	Huntington	34
Hartford City	22	Hartford City	45
Bluffton	29	Dunkirk	44
Hartford City	42	Hartford City	34
Ft. Wayne Central	54	Kendallville	38
Hartford City	45	Hartford City	37
Portland	38	Berne	47
Hartford City	45	Hartford City	33
Columbia City	29	Decatur	22
Hartford City	35	Hartford City	38
Roll	33	Garrett	45
Hartford City	33	Hartford City	46
Alexandria	45	Auburn	62

Choice of the Kiwanis



Gene Johnson

PAST WINNERS

1928 Robert Marchal
1929 Clyde Babbitt
1930 Byron Huggins
1931 Harry Bohr
1932 William Pettit
1933 Kenneth Dorton
1934 Richard Baugher
1935 William Crites
1936 Clyde Fulton
1937 Frank Wunderland
1938 Eldon Campbell
1939 Eugene Alexander
1940 Max Wagner
1941 Walter Markin
1942 Paul Werry
1943 Neal Gardner

To Gene Johnson, captain of the 1943-44 Airedale basketball squad, goes the highest distinction in the high school athletic program—the winning of the Kiwanis sportsmanship award. Gene, who scored 257 points this season (double the total of his nearest colleague), was the unanimous choice of the Kiwanis selection committee—a rare and deserved tribute to his healthy attitude, skill and dependability.

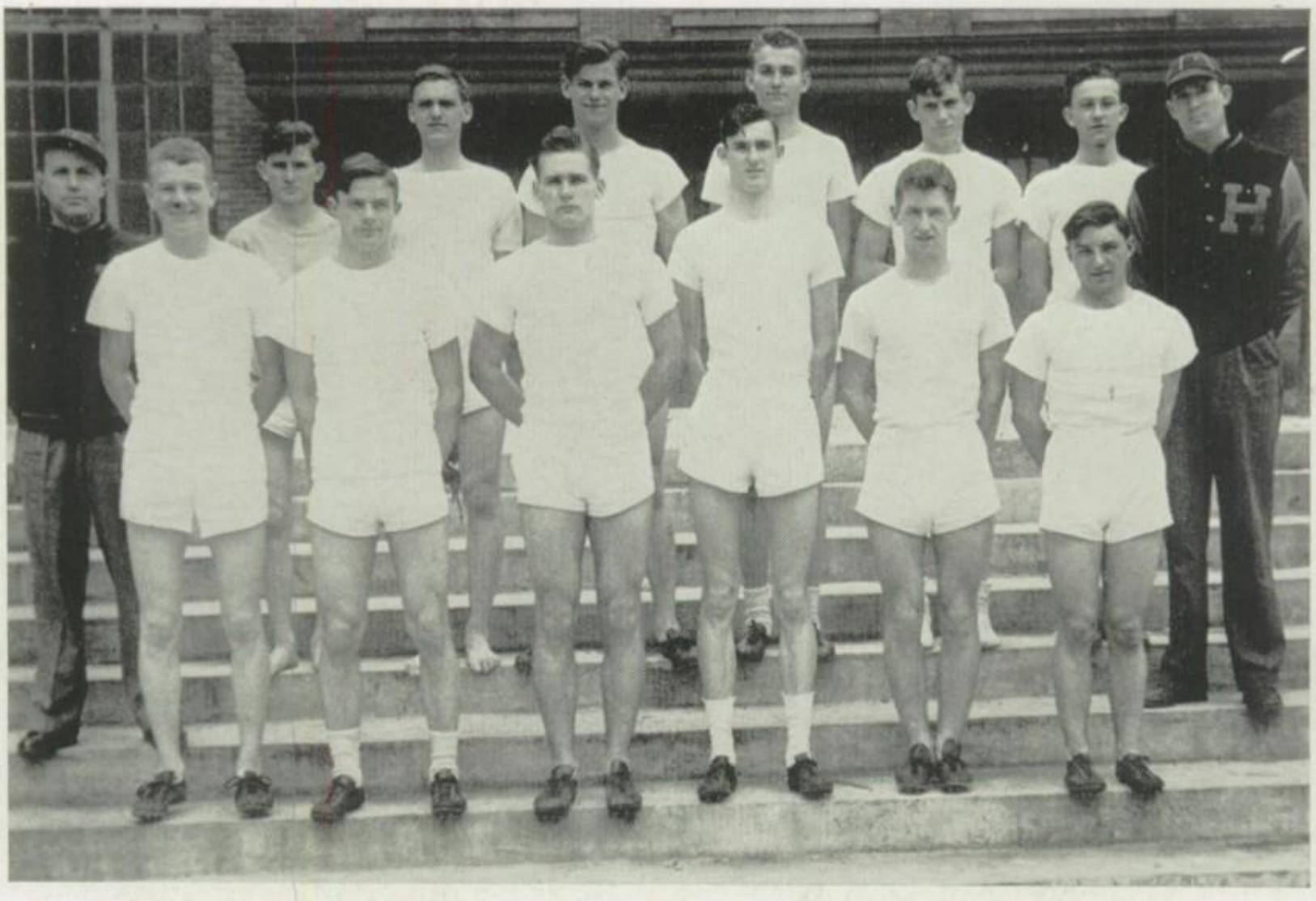
Diamond Boys

SEASON'S RECORD

		H. C.	Opponents
Sept. 10	Berne	1	3
	Berne	3	4
Sept. 14	Eaton	4	0
Sept. 17	Berne	4	5
	Berne	0	12
Sept. 24	Huntington Twp.	6	4
Sept. 28	Eaton	5	4
	Eaton	8	6

Top Row: Bill Davis, right field; Gene Johnson, pitcher; Joe Cain, right field; Jim Allmon, pitcher; Shirley Brown, Jr., catcher; Bill Landis, catcher; Bob Crouse, outfielder; Kenny Dorton, assistant coach.
Middle Row: Gene Landis, pitcher; Gerald Guy, 2nd base; Bob Kriegbaum, centerfield; Jim Bell, leftfield; Jack Landis, infielder; Dudley Luzadder, 3rd base; Gene Shady, outfielder; Johnny Ireland, coach.
Front Row: Bill McColly, 1st base; Dick Cain, 1st base; Bob Schmidt, catcher; Orville Lamott, 3rd base; Melvin Tucker, 1st base; Bill Lamott, right field; Dick Anderson, center field.
Dick Needler, captain and shortstop, (inset).

Ground Pounders



First Row: Dudley Luzadder, Neal Gardner, Ray Pemberton, Dick Dorton, Jack Dolan, Dick Anderson.
Second Row: Mr. Ireland and Mr. Dorton—Coaches.
Third Row: Delight Wilson, Melvin Tucker, Gene Johnson, Bob Rodgers, Bill Landis, James Moreland.

Last year the track sport, long abandoned in the Hartford City High School, was revived. Although the track team had no track on which to work out, the squad proved itself very worthy of recognition.

The Airedales defeated the Bluffton Tigers in their first dual meet, and the next week defeated the Montpelier Pacers. The "thinlies" placed fourth in the Northeastern Indiana Conference track and field meet held at Auburn. Gardner, Dorton, Dolan, Rodgers, and Pemberton took part in the sectional held at Muncie later in the season.

Rodgers was the only winner for Hartford City in the sectional, triumphing in the mile run. Rodgers led the field of other runners most of the way, but was finally edged out by Wilbur Stairs of New Castle, one of the state's best at the distance. Stairs won third in the state finals held at Technical High School at Indianapolis. Rodgers qualified for the state track meet at Indianapolis by taking second place in the sectional.

A total of 127 athletes from eleven schools was certified for the Muncie sectional, so the competition was very great.

Gardner was outstanding in every meet. Among his wins were two firsts and four seconds; and he participated in the 100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, the broad jump, and was a member of the one-half mile and mile relay teams. He was the most versatile individual on the team.

Dorton won the most firsts of any individual runner. He won first in the 440-yard run at Bluffton and Montpelier and took the only Hartford City first in the N.E.I.C. at Auburn. He was narrowly edged out in the Muncie sectional.

Dolan and Pemberton were also excellent trackmen. Dolan was fast and had consistent enthusiasm. He helped to urge on the others, too.

By-Products

Which one's Joe?

Frankie's lost his place again.

Leading figures.

Huddle up a little closer.

The "institution."

Emily's little boy Junior.

Lay that pistol down, Jane.

What, no cranberries?

Social events are to school life what spice is to food. These events are the products of detailed planning by organizations' committees. Although each of these organiztions has a special field in which it is interested, some things are common to all. Take the election of officers, for instance. We bring our gang in full force, shout the ring leader's name for president, immediately close the nominations, send the whips along to round up votes—and we're in good for the year.

And then for the functions of committees, the members spend weeks trying to get together (which they finally manage to do at the last minute); brief, indefinite orders are shouted about who is to do this and when, and the biggest surprise of all is that the event is a huge success with everything going like clockwork—all due to the thoughtful planning of the committee.

Reserved Girls

President, Jane Mahorney
Vice-president, June Burnworth

Secretary, Berta Hammitt
Treasurer, Barbara Riedy

Chaplain, Patty McCune

Row 1: A. Stout, J. Pattison, J. A. Stahlsmith, B. Fields, J. Burnworth, M. Sebring, M. Sorenson, A. Reynolds, N. Dardine, B. Reasoner.
Row 2: R. Stump, B. Canter, D. Miller, L. Bantz, C. Steinhilber, J. Willman, J. Willman, V. Gadbury, M. Felger, F. Baker, H. Knight.
Row 3: M. Owens, D. Murphy, B. Hupe, R. Schmidt, E. Moore, L. Love, D. LeValley, M. Bell, V. Garr, M. Amos.
Row 4: M. Jones, M. Huffman, M. Robinson, E. Wikel, V. Ramseyer, E. Green, B. Byler, J. Knecht, V. Buffenbarger, D. Cheesman.
Row 5: G. Schultz, J. Snow, M. Knox, R. Dutton, V. James, B. Bonham, V. Siles, G. Royce, M. Robinson, E. Morris, J. Hayden.

GIRL RESERVES

Row 1: B. Hammitt, Mrs. Daniels, J. Mahorney, B. Reidy, N. Morris, H. Peterson, B. Thomason, M. McKee, J. Gough, P. McCune, G. Andre, M. Stiffler.
Row 2: M. Kriegbaum, J. Maddox, P. Workman, R. Moore, M. Russell, F. McCrum, E. Scheidler, P. Mahorney, J. Claytor, I. Keltner, R. Henley, R. Stimson.
Row 3: W. Tomlinson, M. Dixon, S. Tatman, J. Lanning, P. King, D. Elwood, D. Florence, B. Futrell, J. Boyles, M. Mannix, M. Wilson.
Row 4: J. Smith, J. McDonald, M. Creager, F. Pickett, M. Ramseyer, J. Shores, J. Martindale, M. Huggins, M. Brothers, T. Lynch, M. Anderson, M. Burns.
Row 5: M. Johnson, P. McCune, J. Flynn, B. Way, L. Bowdell, K. Price, D. Schwartzkoph, J. McGeath, R. Miller, M. Wiles, L. Compton, E. Overmeyer, M. Howard, J. Darst, W. Waters.

Grease Painters

SENIOR DRAMATIC CLUB

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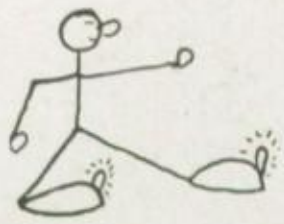
Vice-president, Ruth Stimson
Secretary, Judy Boyles
Treasurer, Esther Overmyer

Row 1: Mr. Henderson, J. Willman, J. Willman, C. Steinhilber, D. Schwartzkopf, B. Bonham, J. Knecht, M. Markin, J. Darst, R. Hammitt, B. Taylor.
Row 2: V. Gadbury, M. Felger, M. Owens, R. Schmidt, E. Moore, M. Kreigbaum, W. Waters, R. Stimson, R. Wilson, L. Love, H. Knight, J. Scheidler
Row 3: B. Way, J. Pickett, K. Price, L. J. Bowdell, J. McDonald, T. Lynch, J. Boyles, E. Overmeyer, M. Anderson, J. Townsend, B. Tucker, J. Show, R. Dutton
Row 4: J. Pooler, D. LaValley, J. O'Connell, G. Schultz, V. James, M. Hunnaman, B. Reasoner, M. L. Creager, M. Wilson, M. Mannix, B. Reidy, R. Henley, J. Mahorney, J. Durr.

JUNIOR DRAMATIC CLUB

President, Virgil Davis
Vice-president, Clyde Allmon
Secretary, Elaine Morris
Treasurer, Thurman Ray

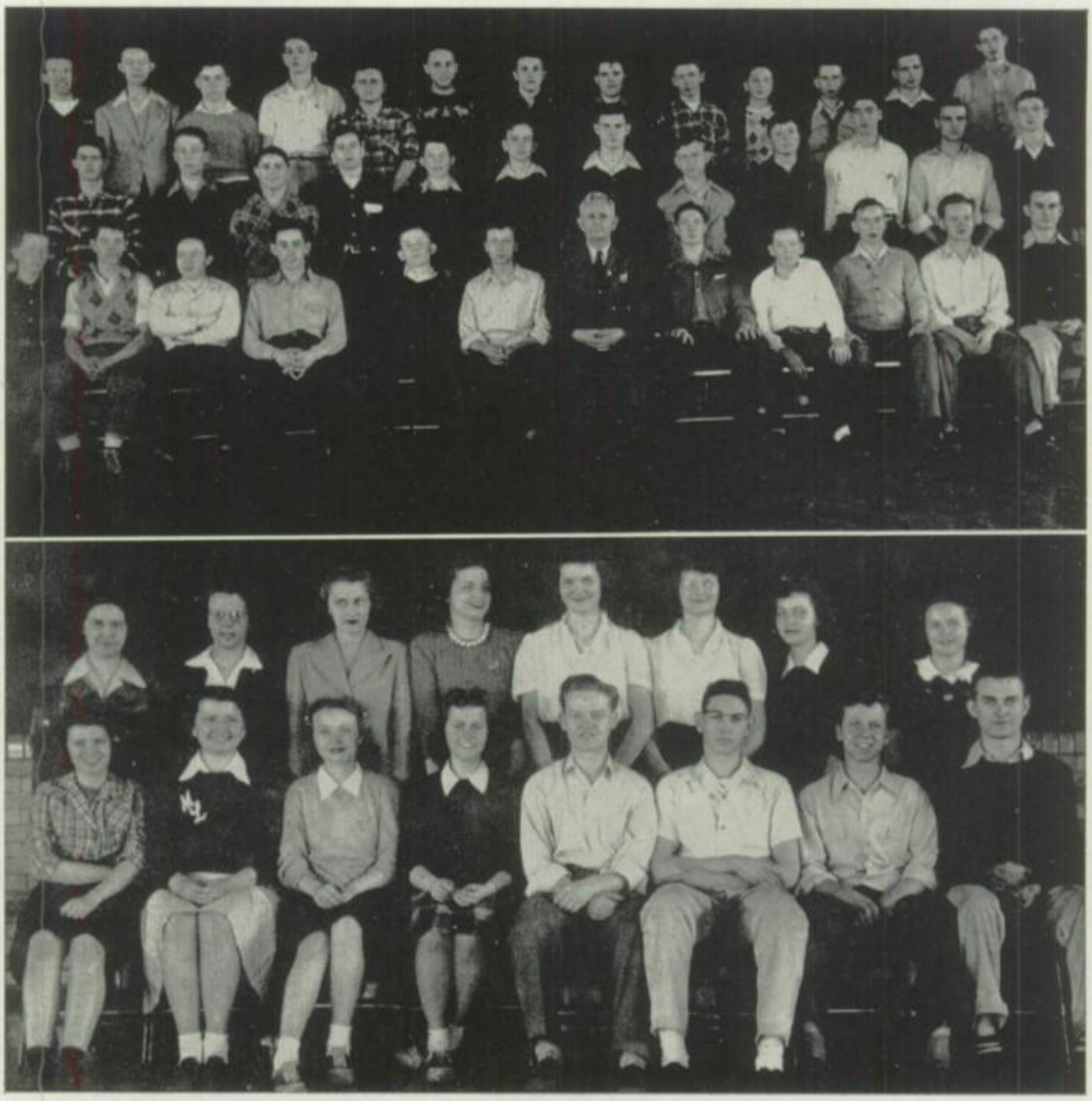
Row 5: T. Raye, L. Willman, D. Flatter, J. Piquet, M. J. Lambiotte, M. Cronin, Y. Andre, M. Ball, W. Cline, V. Davis, C. Allmon.
Row 6: P. Casterline, B. O'Connell, M. E. Wood, R. Moore, E. Scheidler, B. McVicker, R. Cook, M. Stiffler, M. McKee, J. Clavtor, L. Keltner, P. Mahorney
Row 7: D. Burgess, R. Townsend, M. Russell, I. Gardner, F. Howell, B. Futrel, M. Robinson, E. Morris, M.J. Wiles, L. Compton, P. King, P. Workman, M. Ernest, H. Morris.



FOOTLIGHTS

Eternal Triangle

Electorate: 1948



BOY'S CLUB

TRYING TO BUDGET

HI-Y

President, Dick Needler
Vice-president, Bob Crouse
Secretary-treasurer, Bill Carmichael
Chaplain, Joe Scheidler

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Row 2: R . Stroble, R. Cain, D. Johnsonbaugh, J. Durr, J. Pruden, J. Rabbitt, J. Bonham, F. Kirkpatrick, B. Pursifull, G. Pettit, M. Tucker, R. Taylor.
Row 3: J. Pooler, B. Hackney, B. Inman, B. Fields, B. Dee, B. Kriegbaum, G. Guy, F. Slater, T. Howard, B. Daniels, V. Bantz, D. McCony, B. Musselman.

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Vice-president, Vera Rhodes
Secretary-treasurer, Lois Bantz

Row One: R. Henley, M. Owens, J. Mahorney, M. Burns, B. Schmidt, B. Fields, D. Needler, B. Rodgers.
Row Two: V. Gadbury, M. Felger, J. Stallsmith, J. Pattison, J. Willman, J. Willman, E. Moore, D. Schwarzkopf.

Bureaucrats

Those Figures!

STUDENT COUNCIL

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Secretary, Jerome Rabbitt
Treasurer, Martha Owens

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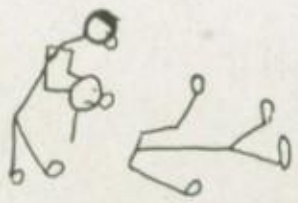
Row Two: M. Huffman, M. J. Wiles, L. Willman, D. Wiley, R. Stroble, G. Shady, B. Riedy, J. Stallsmith.
Row Three: E. Medler, J. Alexander, P. Reynolds, T. Saxon, G. Riedy, B. Poivre, J. Luellan, N. Lord, B. Thomason.



HEADING THE STUDENT BOD'

MATH CLUB

President, Martha Burns
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Secretary, Harry Wilcoxin
Treasurer, Tom Saxon

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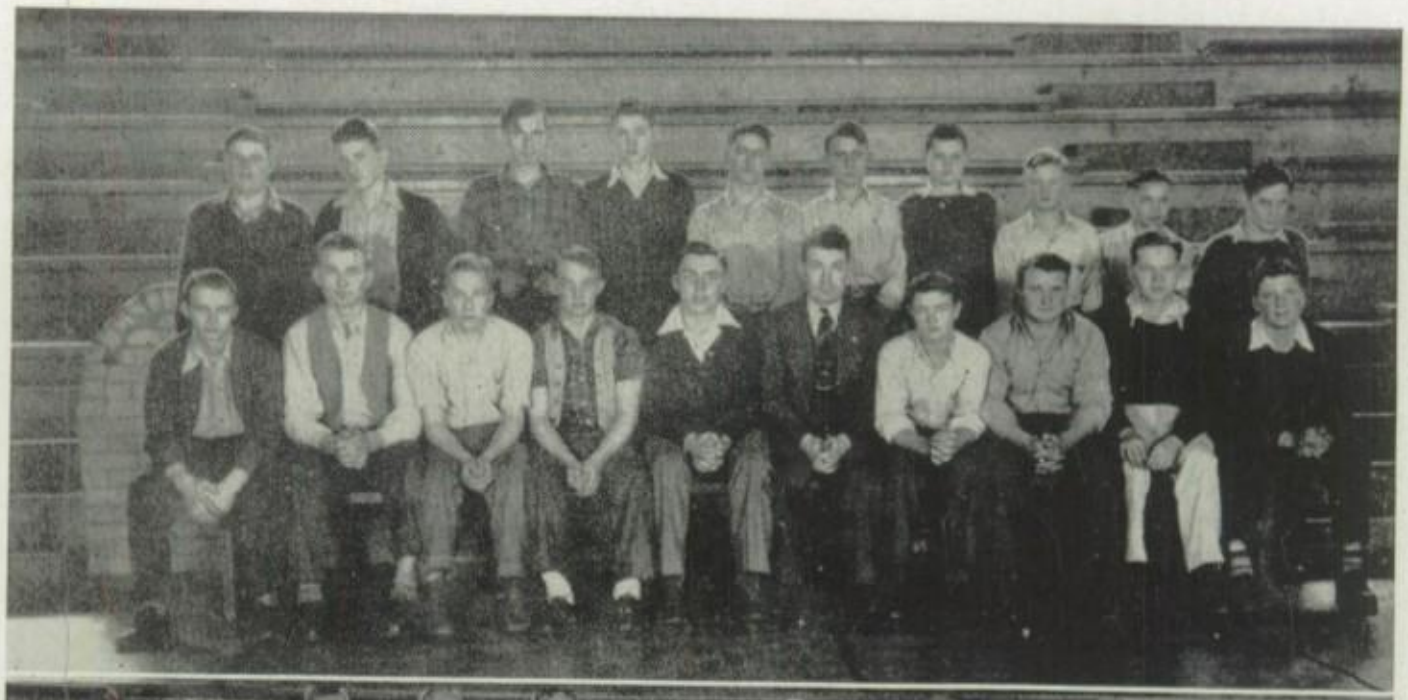
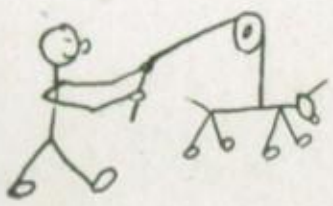
ROW 2: G. Mowery, D. Burgess, B. Daniels, B. Dee, M. J. Lambotte, J. Piquet, M. Cronin, Y. Andre, B. Futrell, F. Howell, B. Byler, M. Haag, H. Knight.
ROW 3: B. Inman, M. Tucker, E. Petit, B. Kriegbaum, L. Schultz, R. Henley, B. Schmidt, B. Shady, C. Allman, V. Davis, R. Rice, R. Reynolds.

SQUARE ROOT

Our "Aggies"



Conjugators



RAISING LIVESTOCK

CAESAR TACTICS

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Row 5: D. Harrison, G. Guy, J. Rabbitt, L. Schultz, F. Cheessman, J. McDonald, M. Dickson, S. Tatman, B. Bonham.

Audubonites

Date

Dealers

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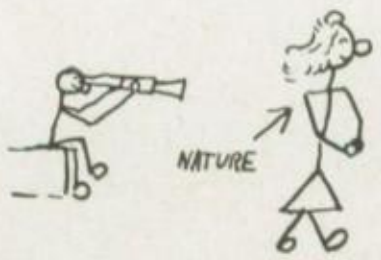

STUDYING NATURE.

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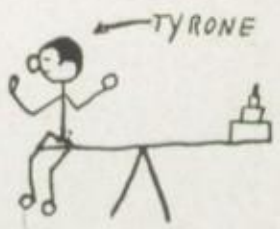


BALANCE OF POWER

They Also Served - - -

Student teacher, Miss Steiner.

Substitute teacher, Mrs. Fishback.

Student teacher, Miss Weaver.

Custodians, Mr. Barnes and Mr. Elzy.

Red Cross Instructor, Mr. Lindsey.

Retro photographer, Mr. DuBois.

Substitute teacher, Mrs. Mahin.

D. O. Spells "Do"

Fredonna Clark
Fred Worthen
Julia Martindale

Vera Rhodes

Mary Brothers
Jack Townsend
Leona Bergdoll

Janice Hayden
Don Henery
Marjorie Huggins

Romantic Roscoe

Here's how I get the best of you:
It's guys for girls I find.
And if they leave and make you blue,
I'm sure that I don't mind.

We Recreate

Having fun?

You bet we are! It's truly an asset to be able to enjoy life, and we believe that high school is a good place to begin.

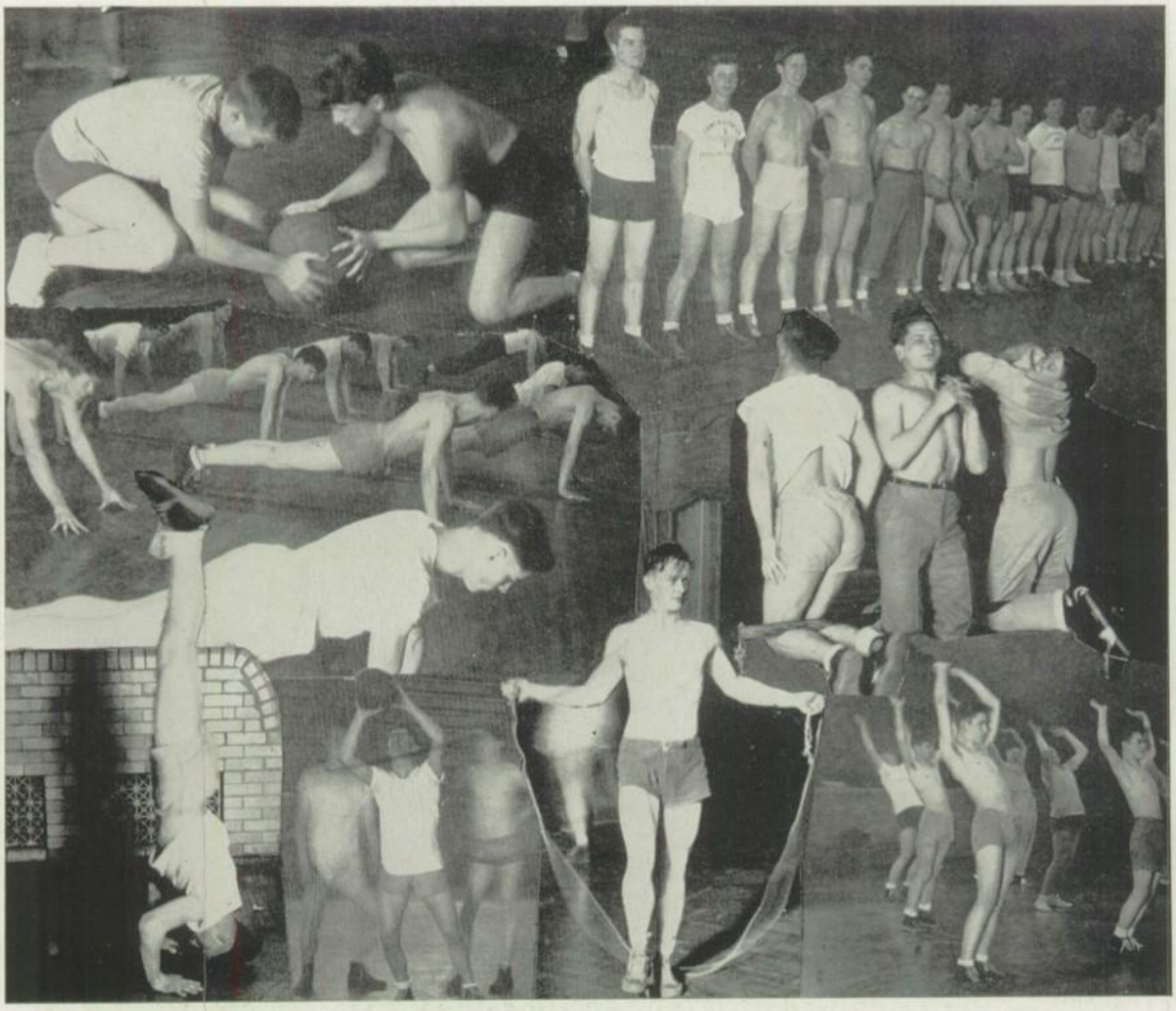
When you go at the mad-rush and live the hectic life of a high school student, you have to have an escape for pent-up emotions.

By what means do we relax our tense nerves after tedious hours in a class room? How do we retain our grasp on mental stability and soothe our troubled brow? You guessed it—recreation, play and just plain fun.

Yes, when Grandpa shakes his head and says, "Child, high school days are the best days," he's not telling us anything. Have you ever seen a student who wasn't willing to take advantage of every opportunity to have a little fun? (Our teachers will vouch for that statement.)

A coke at the corner drug store, a dry joke in class, club meetings, class incidents, and hall chatter all play a definite part in our school life.

Don't believe those people who go around spreading rumors about our wasting time with nonsense and "tom-foolery." When we play, we play hard. Likewise we've learned to tackle our studies with the same enthusiasm. Time spent in learning to face our tasks with a cheerful and determined attitude cannot be called wasted.



For Strength and Stamina

All boys participated in some phase of physical fitness this year. The program was complete with gymnastics, swimming, volley ball, running, and tumbling.

Although few of the fellows became full-fledged commandos, they all realized the benefits derived from the periods spent in the gyms.

Another phase of the program was the intramural basketball leagues. An evening league was supervised by Mr. Cross for the younger players. The noon division, refereed by Mr. Ireland, played from October to March.

The various programs allowed the boys not only to condition themselves physically, but also to cultivate the equally important spirits of friendliness and sportsmanship.

For Grace and Girth

Are you flexible? . . . Correct that flabby waistline. . . . Step sideward; put your left hand on your hip and your right hand on your head. Push the head sideward—one—two——three—('way down!)—four—five—(keep your elbow back!)—six—seven—eight—change—one—two—three————

In these days when everyone is urged to keep physically fit, the girls are no exceptions. From one to five days a week, these girls hurry downstairs and ascend in their gym clothes ready for a vigorous workout.

Not only calisthenics but swimming, volley ball, broad jump, foot races, baseball, and basketball are all methods used by our supervisor to keep us "tip-top" and "in the pink."

MY IDEAL
Words by
LEO ROBIN
Frank Sinatra
March 4, 1944
Mr. Bob Rodgers
Hartford City Public Schools
Hartford City, Indiana
Dear Bob:
Thanks loads for asking me to judge your
beauty contest. It was a pretty difficult task though,
choosing the best of the lot as they are all very lovely
young ladies.
However, with much pondering I have picked
the following three and hope you will agree with me:
#4810...For lovely hair; #4856 For beautiful lips;
#4575 for beautiful eyes.
Cordially,
Frank Sinatra
Made in U.S.
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Eyes:

ANNE STOUT

Hair:

ELVA DUBOIS

Lips:

JANE PATTISON

Personality - - - Character - - - Leadership - - -

Virgil Davis. Dudley Luzadder, Bill Cooper. Anne Harvey.

Patty McCune. Marilyn McKee, Barbara Sue Reidy. Gene Johnson.

If you're looking for some all-'round good guys and some girls who are on the preferred lists, right here they are, vouched for by our student council. Good looks, sunny personalities, and brains are their constant companions; they have proved their capability and worthiness in numerous student-leader positions. Their punctuality and dependability make them favorites of the faculty as well as their classmates.

So if your present tactics aren't clicking and you're lonely and blue, there's no need to read Dale Carnegie. Just keep a close eye on your student favorites and you'll soon learn how to win your friends and influence people.

Spots on the Film

Before the bell.

Gaudy, aren't they? (The sweaters, we mean.)

Just a perfect friendship.

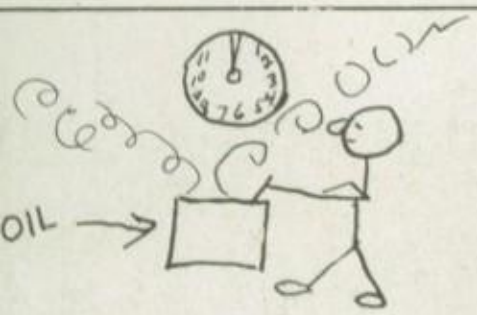
Eleven glasses of water, please!

Nice boots.

Don't look that way, "Tatty." We just want to take her picture.

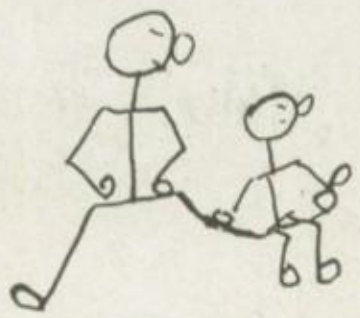
Waiting for the birdie to fly in.

"Leaf" us alone.



BURNING THE MIDNIGHT OIL

TEACHER'S PET



OUT ON A LIMB

TAKING NOTES

WHAT'S COOKING

TAKING SNAPS

TIED UP FOR THE EVENING

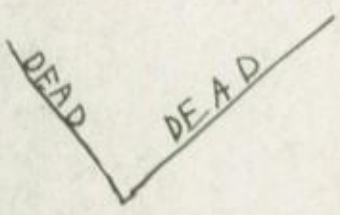
TEACHERS MEETING

CAREFREE

SIGNS OF SPRING

BEATING THE BELL

OUTSIDE READING



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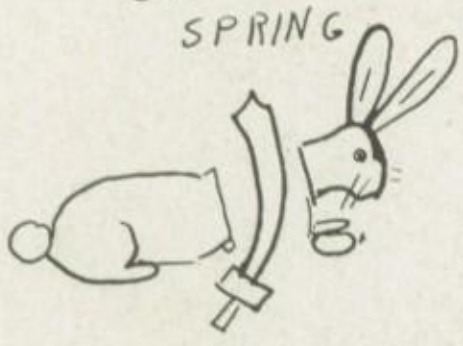

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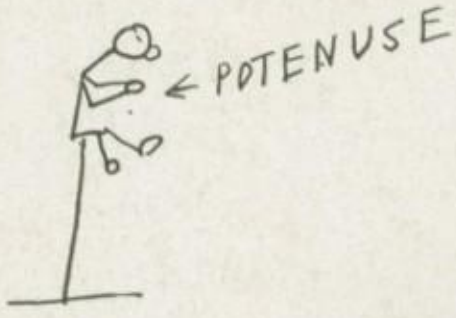

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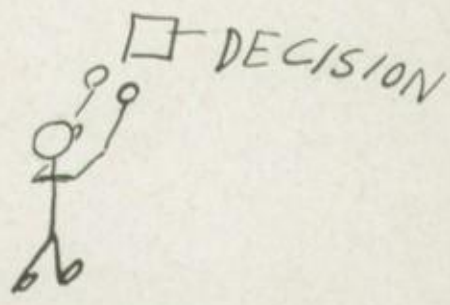

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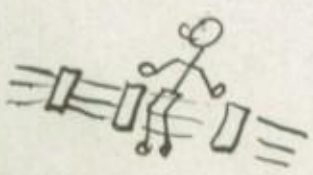

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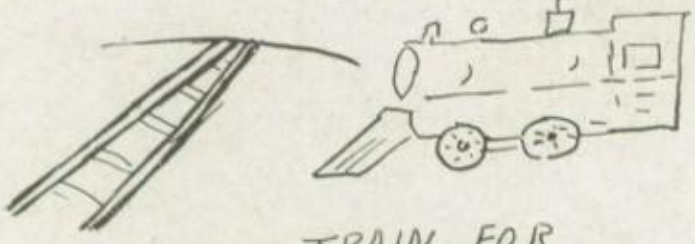

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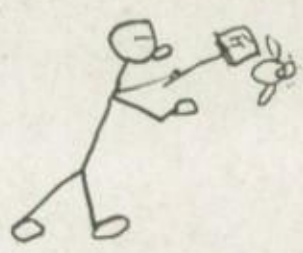

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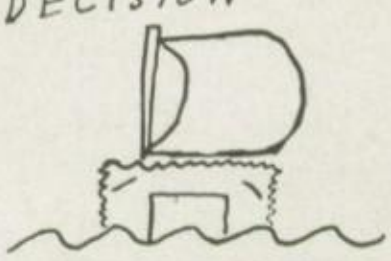

STAMP SALES

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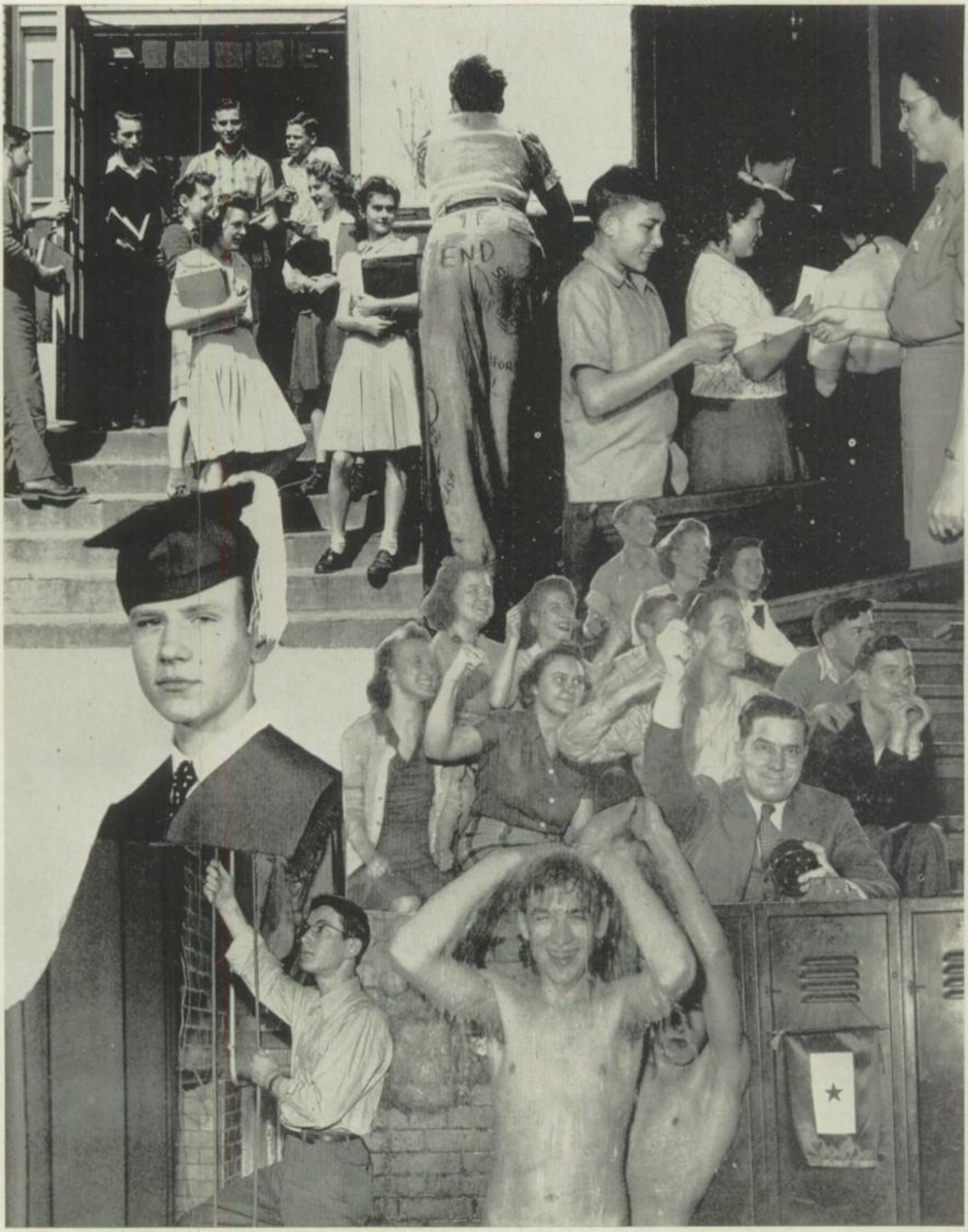
"Monikers"

"Handles"

Conclusions



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